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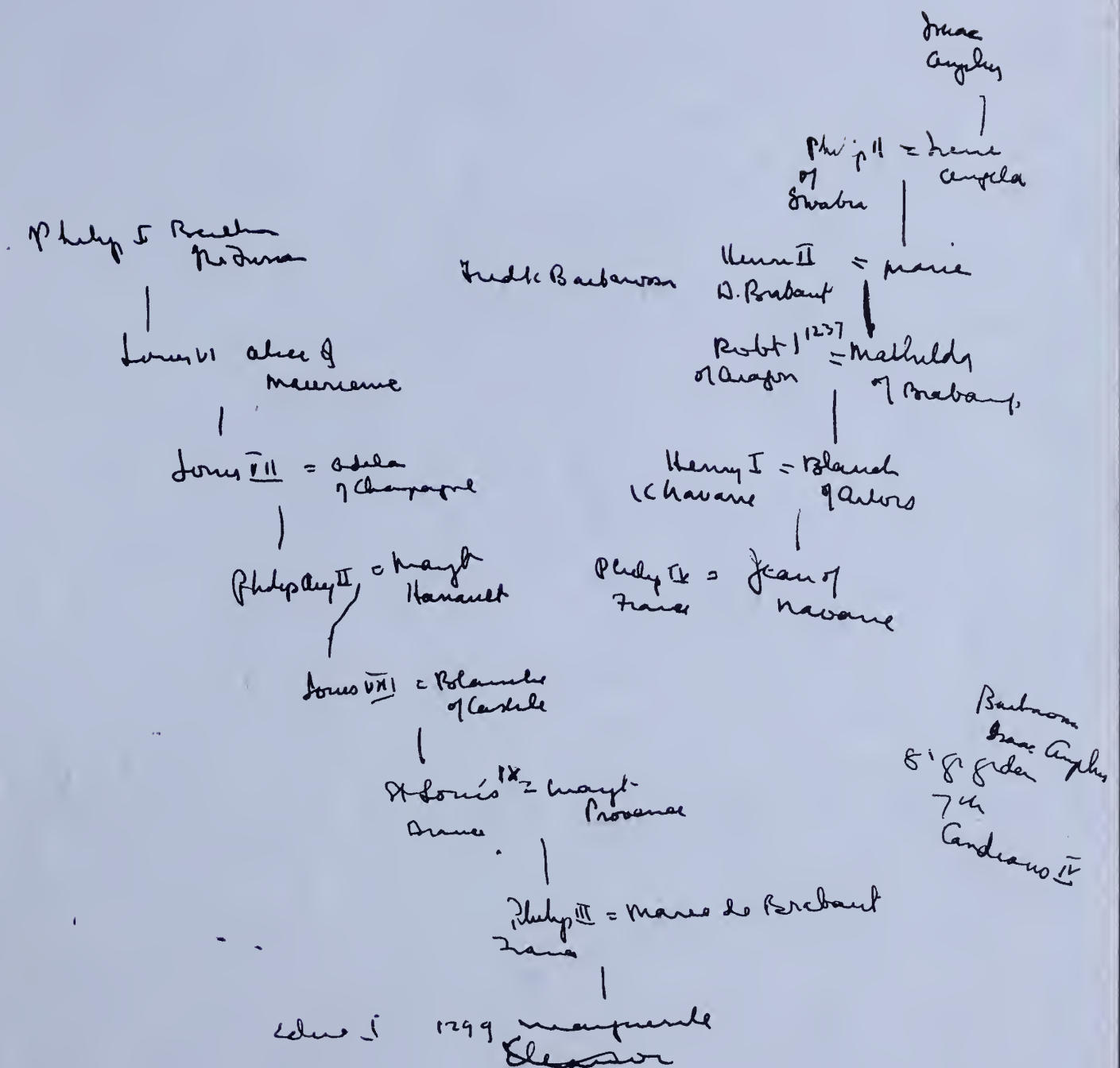


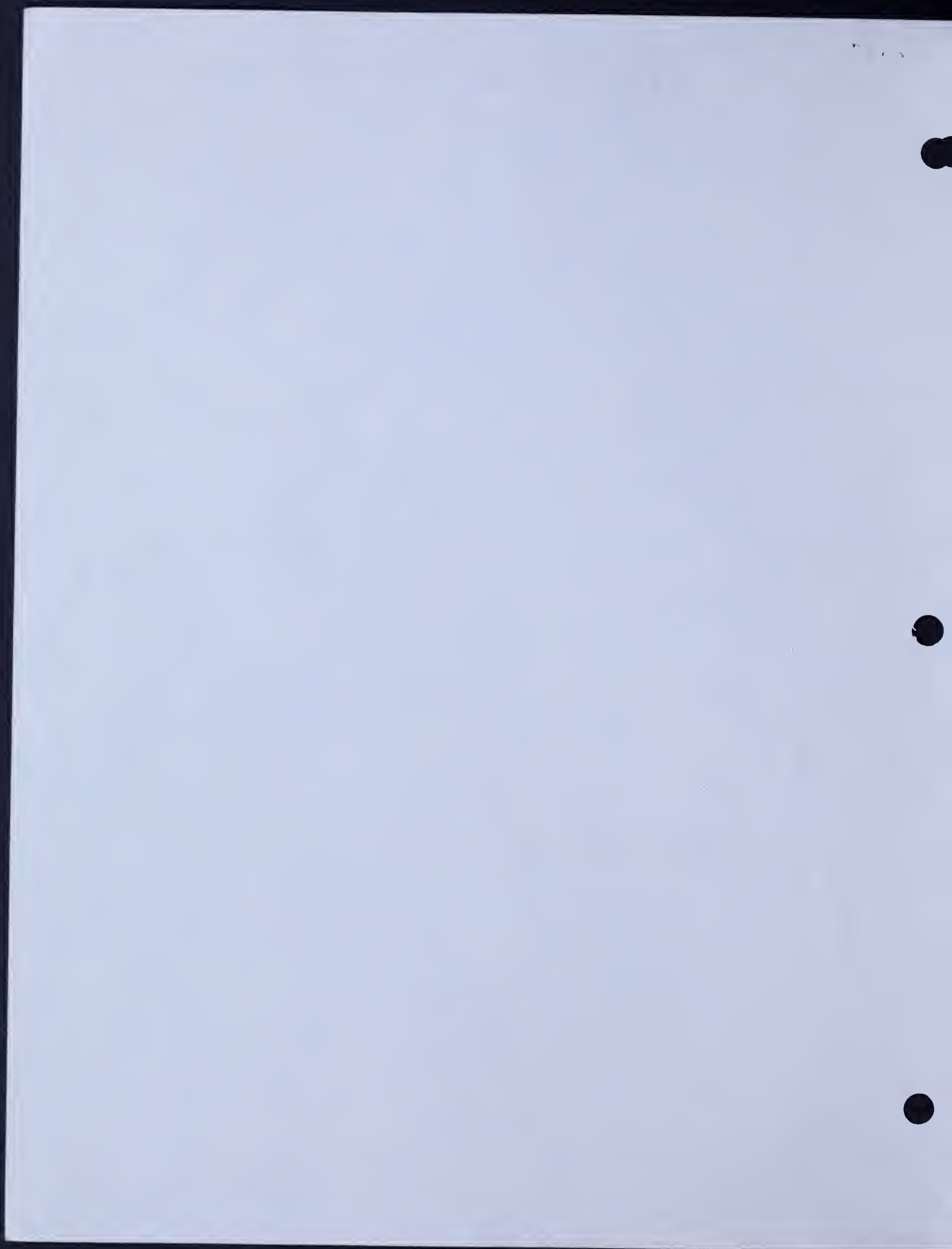
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June 18, 1980

Dr. H. C. Burleigh,
33 Ontario Street,
Apt. 507,
Kingston, Ontario.
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Dear Dr. Burleigh:

I am attempting to compile a family history and genealogical record of Alexander Nicholson, his family and descendants.

Alexander Nicholson was a U.E.L. who settled in the Bay of Quinte area after the revolution. He married Sarah Hough and they had fourteen children; a son, named David, married Elizabeth Ann Phillips and they had ten children. Their oldest child, a son named William, married Catharine Ashley and they had a family of seven; their only son Albert was my maternal grandfather.

I have gathered considerable data on the Nicholson family over the past few years; however, as to Alexander Nicholson himself the information gathered is incomplete and much is contradictory, controversial and very confusing.

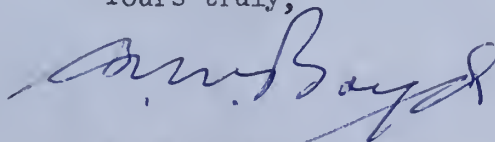
As a recognized authority on the U.E.L.'s of the Bay of Quinte area you have, I am sure, accumulated considerable information on this subject and I know with your knowledge and resources you might be able to help me out of this quandary. Would you assist me in my research of Alexander Nicholson by sharing with me what information you might have on him and his activities?

I also have some research notes on an Archibald Nicholson and a Robert Nicholson. Both of these men belonged to Jessup's Corps and, according to some documents, so did Alexander. Robert and Archibald and Alexander all came from the same general area in the States before the revolution and after it they all settled as U.E.L.'s in Upper Canada. I have always wondered, with so many similarities of situation, if they were brothers or in some way related. I have found no proof of this but maybe you might know.

Any help and assistance you can offer will be greatly appreciated. I enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope for your convenience.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain,

Yours truly,



A. W. Boyd

O.G.S. # 2542
Also Kingston Branch Member

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June 26th, 1980

Dr. H. C. Burleigh,
Apt. 507,
33 Ontario St.,
Kingston, Ontario.
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Dear Dr. Burleigh:

Have just received and read your letter of June 20/80. Thank you for your prompt reply.

I am most anxious to see the information in your files for Alexander Nicholson, and also for Hough (Huff).

I neglected to mention in my first letter that I have a disability which prevents me from travelling and consequently eliminates my coming to Kingston. Under the circumstances I hope you will not ^{take} as too presumptuous a request to have photocopies made of all the information in the two files above mentioned and the copies sent to me. I have to rely on correspondence and the good will and co-operation of people like yourself for assistance in my research.

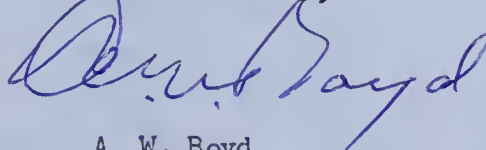
I hope my equally prompt reply will indicate the extent of my interest and my anticipation of your compliance with this, a probably unusual, request.

I am quite sure that under this arrangement I will obtain some information I already have which under ordinary circumstances would be unnecessary duplication. But ~~this~~ fact in no way deters my request, as any duplication will be considered by me as additional confirmation, and the new information received with ~~much~~ gratitude.

I cannot express how much I will appreciate your co-operation in agreeing to this arrangement and I enclose a cheque for \$5.00 to be applied against the cost of photocopies and mailing. Please advise any balance owing after completion and I will remit immediately.

Your help and co-operation is, as always, greatly appreciated.

Most sincerely,



A. W. Boyd

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Eskadale Farms,
Tiverton, Ont.,
May 25, 1966.

Dr. Burleigh,
Bath, Ont.

Dear Dr. Burleigh,

My husband, George, is a member of the U.E.L. Association, Bay of Quinte Branch, and there is a remote possibility that we may take a flying trip down to that district in the near future. In case we go, I would like to be able to tell George where we should look for his ancestors' original farms. Could you help me?

I do not know if you have his family tree or not -- the one we submitted when he joined -- so I shall explain a little about them.

Barnabas Hough and his wife (name unknown yet) and family came from Paulet, Vermont, in July, 1778, to St. John, N.B., and to Ontario 1783 or not later than 1787 (when he applied for land).

I have found he had the following lots:

Lot 64, Conc. 1-200 acres ac.	Marysburgh
N $\frac{1}{2}$ " 8, " 2 100 "	Ernesttown
" 19, " 3 200 "	Sidney - also lots 20&21
$\frac{1}{4}$ " 93 Bay Side 50 "	Ameliasburgh

There may be other lots that have escaped my searching.

Barnabas and his wife had ~~2~~ 11 children.

1. Sarah Hough b. 20 May 1767 d. 12 Dec. 1852	m. Alex. Nicholson 24x011x193
2. Bruin "	m. Mary Walker 16 Dec. 1790
3. Elijah "	m. Mary Wees
4. Jotham "	
5. Samuel "	m. Hannah Hoffman
6. Isaac "	m. Elizabeth Hicks
7. Allida "	m. Philip Hartman
8. Abigail "	m. Robert Havens 24 Oct. 1793
9. Hannah "	m. Joseph Hoffman

10. & 11. - unknown yet.

Notes:

Sarah was George's direct ancestor *m. Alex. Nicholson*

Bruin -- d. Susannah m. Wm. Ashom of Kingston

d. Mary Elizabeth baptised in Adolphustown 13 June 1798
s. John

d. Esther m. Wm. Sickles of Ernesttown

s. James of Hallowell

d. Hannah Penelope O.C. 11 Apr. 1833

s. Philip Hartman O.C. 27 June 1833

s. Peter of Ernesttown O.C. 5 Feb. 1829

d. Sarah Ann m. Sam Genner of Ernesttown O.C. 5 Feb. 1829

Bruin owned $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot 7, Conc. 3, Ernesttown

Elijah -- resided in Ernesttown Tp. -- m. twice, Mary Wees & Elizabeth Everson. *5 Mar. 1809.*

Miss Bernabeas Hough 24.6 — 25.7.1781

at 44 was at 7, 4, 2, days 13. 11. 9. 8

Final appears 25.9 — 24.10.1779

Blacksmith
sawyer

Bernabeas aged 44 on 1.1.1782 Am 5'8

buried² 14 May 1802

Grave at 22 1.1.1782 5'8"

Brown 17 17.2.1782 5'7"

Alert Nicholson 1.1.1782 27 5'9"

Archel " 1.1.1782 23 5'10"

Asa Huff single in Ennet Oct/84

Brown " 2 Fredks "

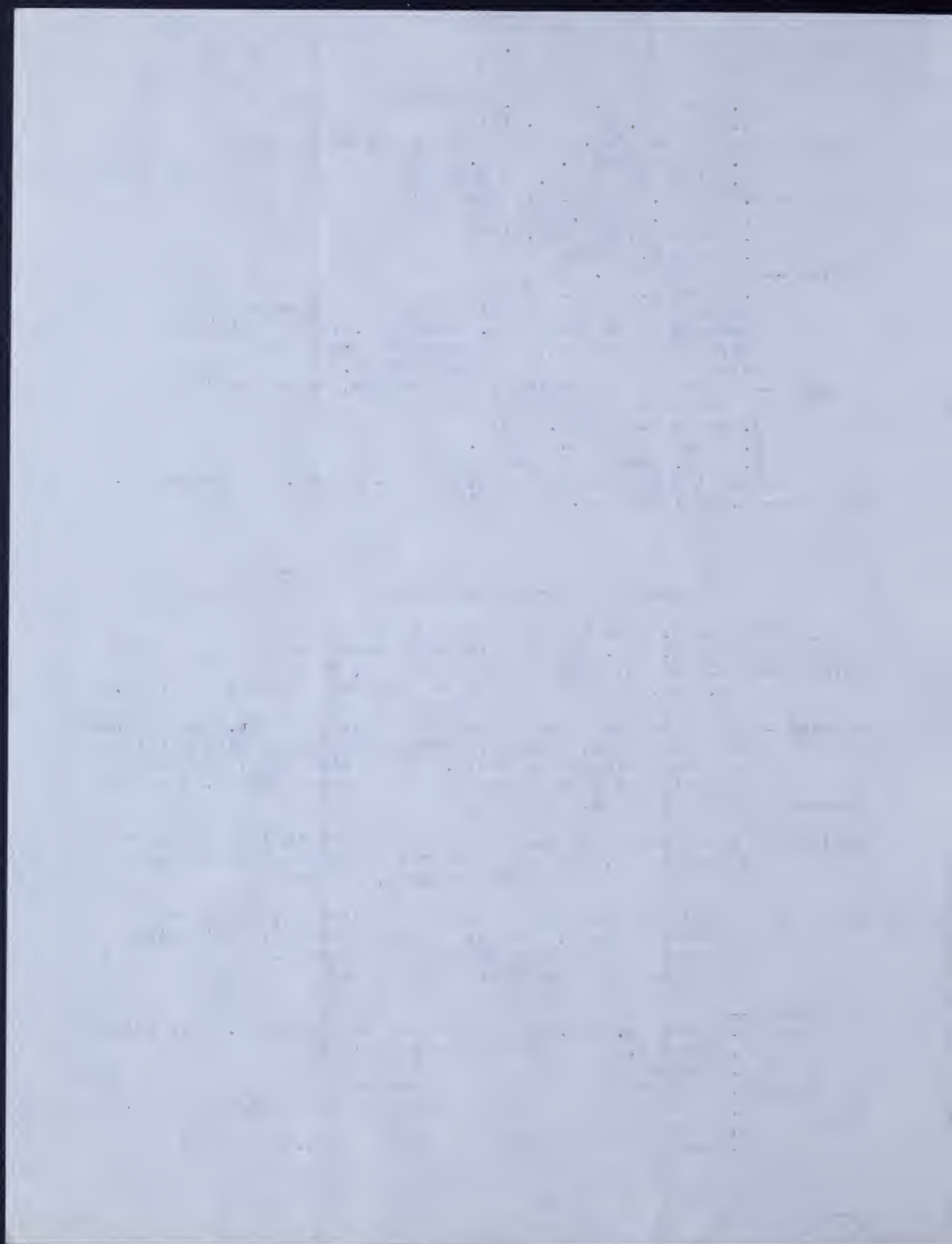
Bernabeas Hough put for his Miningman's Bay 26.10.1783

Put. of setts on Caldwell's Manor heavy lge pens ask for lots
(undated)

d.Elizabeth b. 8 Sept. 1801 (of Mary Wees)
 d.Phoebe b. ~~4~~ 9 Dec. 1810
 Samuel -- Hannah was dau. of Joseph Hoffman, Ernesttown
 s.Charles Just b. 20 Oct. 1805
 d.Avilla Eleanor b. 18 May 1809
 Isaac -- d.Floria b. 13 Jan. or June 1811
 d.Agnes b.22 Dec. 1801
 d.Deborah b. 20 Sept. 1803
 d.Hannah b. 10 May 1800
 Allida -- Ernesttown Tp.
 d.Hannah b. 8 Aug. 1800
 (Could this Allida be Hylidah Hough who married Philip
 Hartman of Addington Co. on 16 Aug. 1792? Witnesses
 were Norris Brisco, Loderweight Hartman and
 Abegail Hough and Margareta Hartman.)
 Abigail -- Witnesses to marriage, Isaac Hough, Isabel Bell,
 Margaret Hartman, Reckah Sager
 d.Hannah b. 29 Nov. 1801
 s.Richard Henry b. 8 Sept. 1804
 s. or d. baptised June 7, 1807
 Robert Havens owned lot 9, conc.8, 200 ac. in Thurlow Tp.
 Hannah -- d.Harrietta bap. 29 May 1812

Alexander Nicholson Family

Alex. Nicholson b. June 19, 1752 in Scotland (where ?)
 d. Apr. 1, 1820 (exactly where ?)
 Sarah Hough b. May 20, 1767 (maybe in Paulet, Vermont)
 d. Dec.12, 1852 at home of daughter, Abigail, Mrs. Wm.
 Vandervoort
 Married - Legend in family says they were married at Mt.Pleasant,near
 Lake Champlain, Vermont, and came to Canada with her two
 brothers, Elijah and Bruin. Capt. Nicholson, descendant,
 thought they were married after reaching Canada. They were
 probably married in 1785.
 Resided in Fredericksburgh Tp. for 25 years, and in 1809 they moved
 to Thurlow Tp. I do not know the lot and concession on
 which they lived in each twonship. Do you?
 Children -- (14) Robert, Agnes, Eunice, Elisabet, Barnabas,
 Alexander, Mary, David, Samuel, Hannah, Abigail,
 Margaret, John James McAbb, Sterling H.
 Do you know the birthday of Sterling?
 Marriages --
 1. Robert N. mar. Anna Magdalena Bartley Sept./Oct. 1810
 2. Agnes N. " Patrick Morgan 1810
 3. Eunice
 4. Elisabet " Bartley
 5. Barnabas " Letitia - dau. of John Longwell, U.E.
 6. Alexander " "
 7. Mary " John J. Brower Feb.6/22 1822



8. David N. mar. Elizabeth Ann Philips
9. Hannah N. " Thomas Tillotson Fraleck
10. Abigail " Wm. Vandervoort
11. Margaret
12. J.J.McN. " Mary O. Lennox
13. Samuel
14. Sterling

Do you know names of other spouses? Marriage dates?

Alexander Nicholson property:

O.C. Aug. 10	1801	W $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot 10, Conc. 5,	Fredericksburgh -	100 acres
	1801	" 7 "	5 "	100 "
Sept. 12	1804	" 2 "	3 Thurlow	200 "
Aug. 28	1818	" 3 "	3 "	90 "

Can you add to this list of lots?
Which one did he settle on first?

I have done some research myself since I last wrote to you. I found I could use the film reader in the county registry office (23 miles distant), and have gone through the census records.

I also bought some old volumes of the Ontario History and found more names and records.

Mrs. Nancy Williamson answered a letter of mine and gave me some information that C.N. Nicholson gave her. I hoped she would give me her branch of the family but she said it was not complete.

I spent a few hours in the Ontario Archives and found some important information, at least it is important for me. I found the names of Barnabas' children and some of their in-laws in a book of U.E.L. families compiled by Reed.

At the Ontario Genealogical Society annual meeting last year I met an American who is the genealogist for the American ~~Naz~~ Heugenot Society. He assured me the name Hough is that of a French family that fled in the 1630's from persecution in their home country to nearby countries. This is proven by some old family letters of George's grandmother and her sister in which they refer to their ancestors coming originally from Holland and Poland. One living relative says some came from the Palatinate District, so I am sure they came from the Continent, anyway.

If you can tell me the lot and concession on which any of these Houghs and Nicholsons actually lived, I shall be very grateful. I shall be extra pleased if you can tell me the names of descendants of any other branches. I have already been corresponding with Mrs. Williamson and Miss Fraleck.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs. Geo.) Hilda Downey

P.S. I have been corresponding with Miss Vivian Spaak of Waterford who has given me help with the Nicholson family. I think we have found a brother of Alexander N. 1752-1820. I received a letter from a direct descendant of the other family but have not had time to go further.

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Recruits since 24 Oct 1780

Entertained

Alexander Nicholson in King's works at St John Oct 28, 1780

List of such men of Maj. Edward Jessup's Coy as are
fit for Active Service, Riviere du Loup 24 Feb 1783

Alexander Nicholson

May - Edward Jessup Co. Vieuxbourg 1.1.1782

5/75- Alexander Nicholson Scotland 26 5'9" 172 lbs

Maj. Edward Jessup Co. Riv du Loup 1.1.1783

A. N. Scot 27 59 28 1/2 lbs



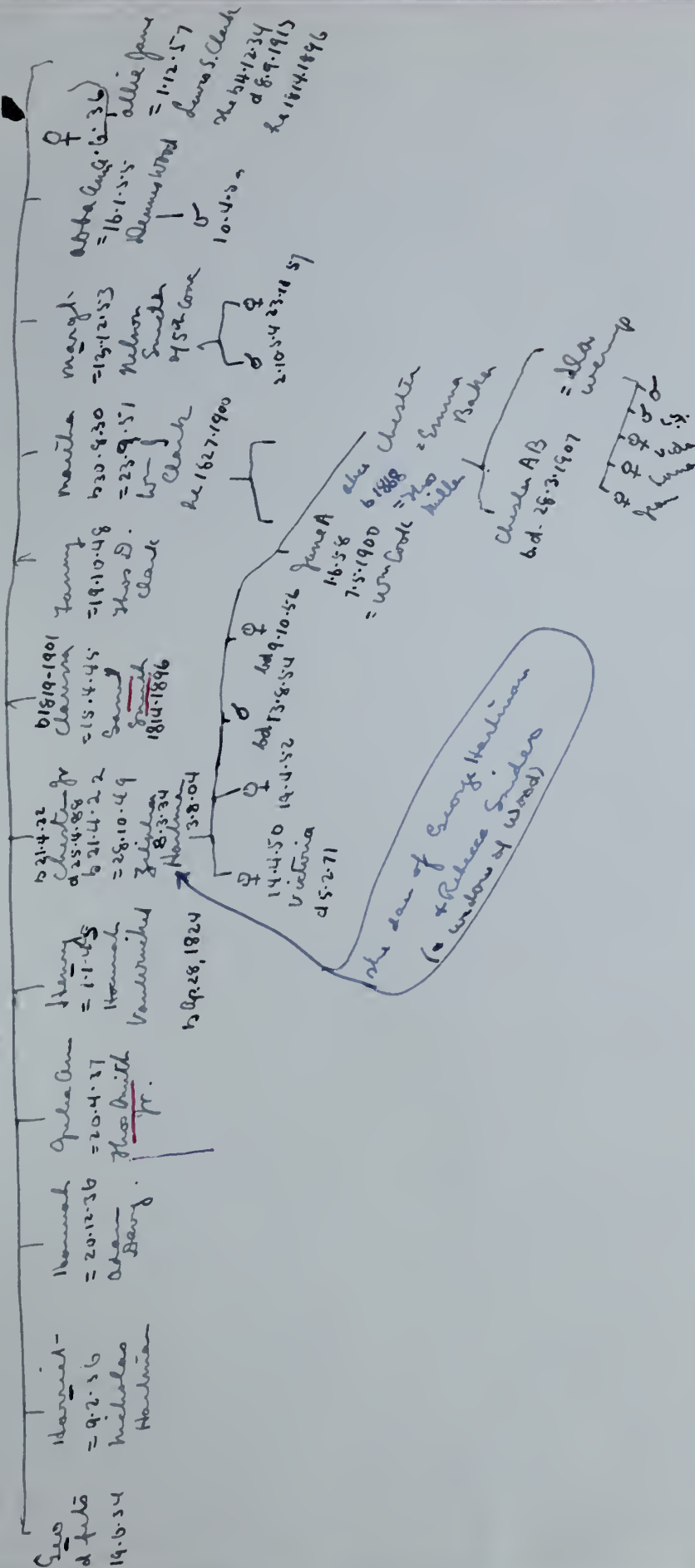
6 Aug 20. 1789
d May 8. 1864
2 per 8. 1792
d Jul 20. 1870

Charlie

6 Aug 20, 1789
d May 8, 1864

Charles R. = Catharine

1920.1792
 1920.1870





Oct. 12

Nicholson--born to Capt. C. H. Nicholson & Mrs. Nicholson, a son at Cobourg, on Oct. 12th.

Dr. Nicholson and his estimable wife, of Rochester, were warmly welcomed by their many friends in Cobourg this week. The doctor says that his bright little son, Neilson, "is the only boy in the United States."

Died at Kingston (Sept. 14 1885)

Mrs. Hannah Freleck, relict of the late T. T. Freleck, and mother of Judge Freleck, died at 7.30 o'clock this morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. C. L. Hatch, Kingston. The deceased lady, who had attained the advanced age of 87 years, 6 months and 2 days, was born in Thurloy on what was known as the Fearnley farm on March 8th, 1803. She was the fifth daughter of Alex. Nicholson and Sarah (Huff) Nicholson, who were U. S. Loyalists. Mr. Nicholson was an ensign under Gen. Burgoyne during the war, and, with his wife, removed from the Lake Champlain region to Canada in 1785. The only one of his children now living is Mr. J. J. Nicholson, of this city. Mrs. Freleck was widely known and much respected. She will be buried here on Friday afternoon from the residence of Judge Freleck.

Apr. ? 3, 1885

Nicholson--On Friday, 3rd inst., G. C. Nicholson, son of Samuel Nicholson, aged 20 years and 11 months.

The funeral will take place from the family residence, Albert Street, on Sunday, 5th inst., at 3 p.m., to the cemetery.

Sad Bereavement--Capt. C. H. Nicholson's mother died at Trenton on Monday of last week.

Dec. 7th, 1883.

David Nicholson, born in Fredericksburg, County of Dennox, in the year 1801, died at his residence, township of Huntingdon, Dec. 7th, 1883. He came of U. S. Loyalist stock. He was converted many years ago at a camp-meeting in Thurloy and joined the M. L. Church. His dear companion, whose maiden name was E. A. Phillips, preceded him in death about sixteen months ago. They leave behind many children to mourn their loss.

He bapt. in Fredericksburg 23 June 1801

Mrs. Nicholson, mother of Captain Nicholson, lies at the point of death at her home in Trenton.

Mrs. John McMullen this morning received the sad intelligence of the death of his sister, Mrs. Samuel Nicholson, of Belleville. Deceased was mother of Capt. Nicholson, of the steamer Horseman.

Capt. Nicholson, of the Horseman, on the arrival of the steamer at Brighton this morning, received intelligence of the death of his mother, which sad event took place this morning at Trenton. Deceased lady was sister of Councillor McMullen, who with his two sons leave to-night to attend the funeral to-morrow.

Dec. 27, ----

Root--At Kingston Depot, on Tuesday, Dec., 27th, Mr. McMullen, wife of Mr. Charles Root, aged 60 years.

Funeral took place this afternoon from the residence of Mr. F. Hunter, G. T. R. Depot, to the 4.15 train, and thence to Belleville.



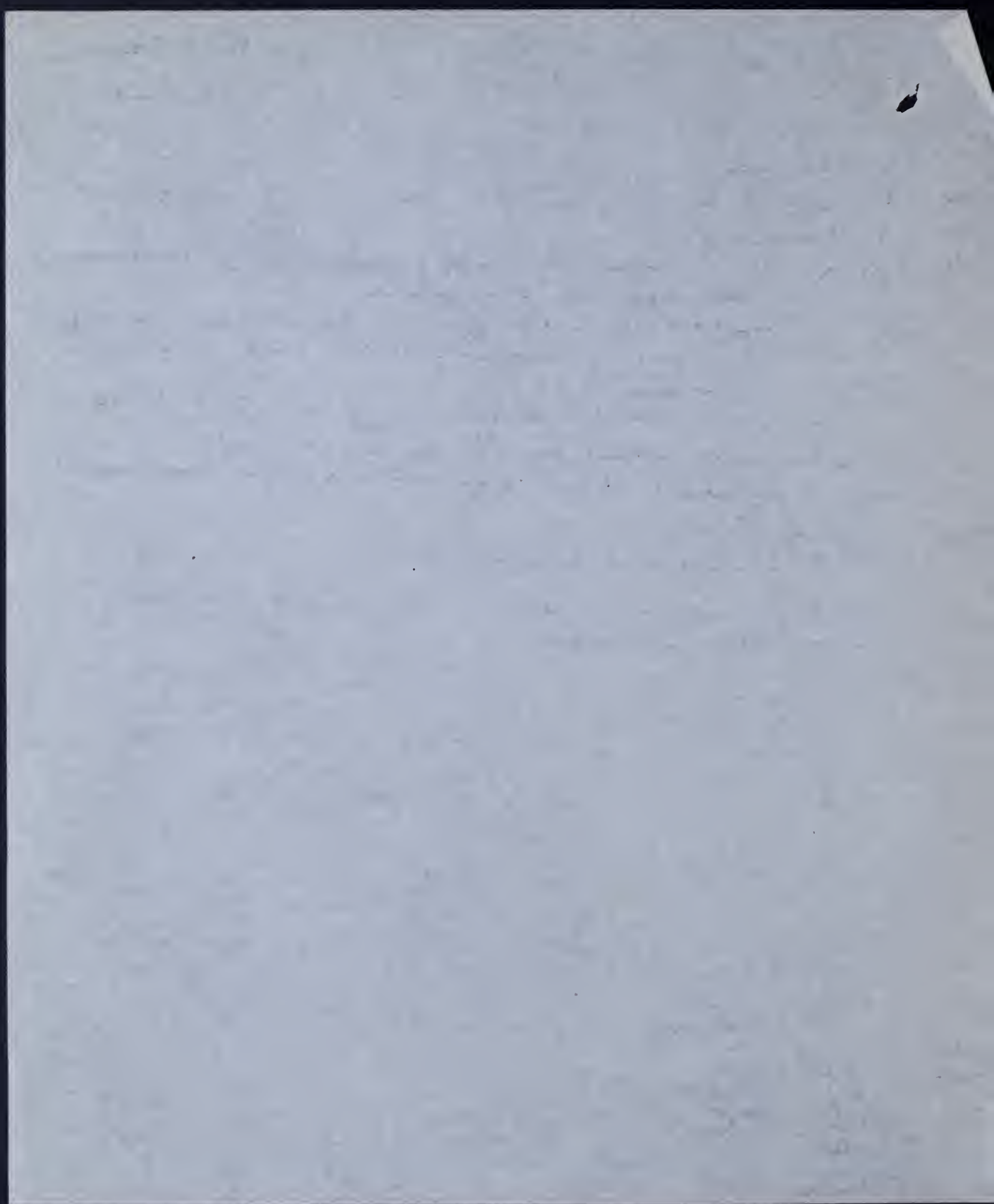
Nicholson
Alexander.

b. Scotland

- 1774 Emigrated to America
1775 To Pownal
1776 Bought 200 acres near border of Mass & what is now Vermont
Wild land near Williamstown
Bought of Thos Lusk after war began - cost 1 dollar per acre
was to pay it part in work, part in money. Had begun
improvements
2 horses, 2 cows, 1 heifer, 2 hogs joined tools at Pownal
1775-76 was employed by Capt. David Anderson (as spy?)
1776 30 Apr apprehended & freed as no evidence against him. (suspect?)
1777 Joined Jessup's
" Aug With Col Peters at Bennington
Captured and made slave to work out his freedom.
Stock taken and sold.

Allied families

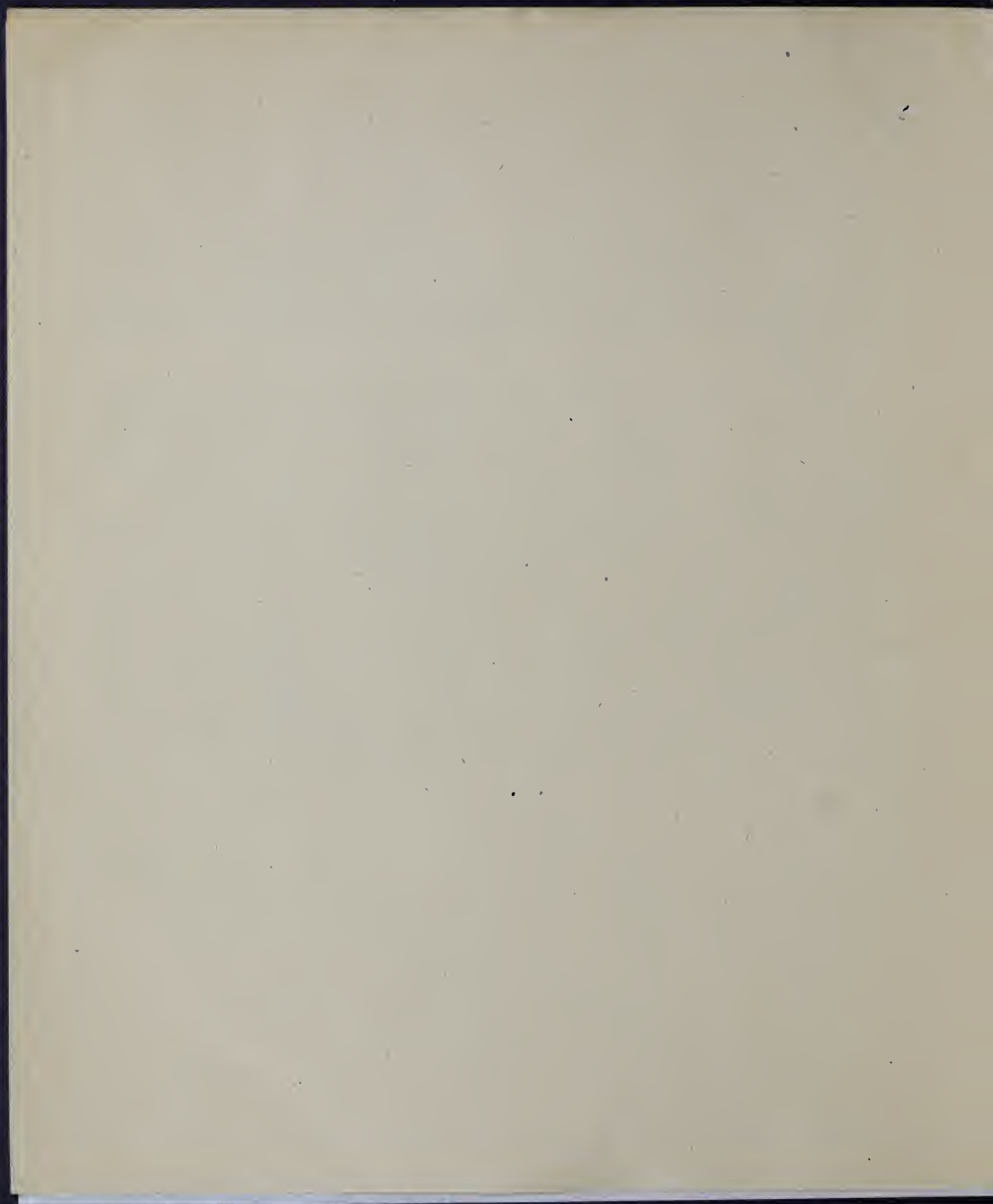
	Male	Female
	Longwell	Vanderwort
William	Huff	Felick
Bush	Phillips	Hatch
	Hogle	Johnson
	Murray	Dafos
	Orviter	Hicks
	German	
	Patterson	



When the lease expired in the following year, 1785, Alexander and Sarah, with the Hough family, came to the Bay of Quinte where ^{he} they received grants of land in both Ernesttown and Fredericksburgh townships. By 1788 the Nicholsons were residing in Fredericksburgh, where they remained until 1810, when they with their several children removed to Belleville. It was along the upper reaches of the Bay that they spent their declining years and where their children established their homes.

Descendants of this pioneer family may be found to-day along the Bay of Quinte from Kingston to Trenton; others have scattered here and there in United States and Canada. Two daughters of the pioneer married Vandervoorts; their ^{children} descendants may be found in Rawdon and Sidney townships. Another daughter married into the Fraleck family of Belleville ^{Thurlow} ~~which gave~~; her son, Judge E. B. Fraleck, became pre-eminent in legal circles in Ontario. Another grandson, Howard Nicholson, will long be remembered as the captain of the steamer 'Hero,' which served the communities along the Bay of Quinte for many years. Captain Nicholson was General Manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamship lines in the Pacific. A son, ~~Barnabas~~, was one of the founders of the ~~city of~~

Of his sons Barnabas, named for his grandfather, may be settled in Huntington by where the descendants still reside



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Nicholson

L. B. O.

Robert 7.21.96, late of Jessup's Corps. Stating that he has received 200 ac. of ld. & praying for 100 in addition & 200 ac in right of his wife, the dau of W. E. Proofs waiting for both.

Ernesttown Muster Roll Oct. 7 1784

Archibald 1

1 1 on his lands
back concession

List of Loyalists belonging to Maj. McAlpine's Co
paid by Ens. Don^t Fraser, Saratoga on 14 Oct 1777
Archibald Nicholson.

Ernesttown Crown Lands

Alexander Lot F5 cone 4 E $\frac{1}{2}$ 8-17-1804

Haldimand Papers

Muster Roll of Capt. Edward Jessup's Co of 10 L. A. Men
Pt. Clair 24-1-1777

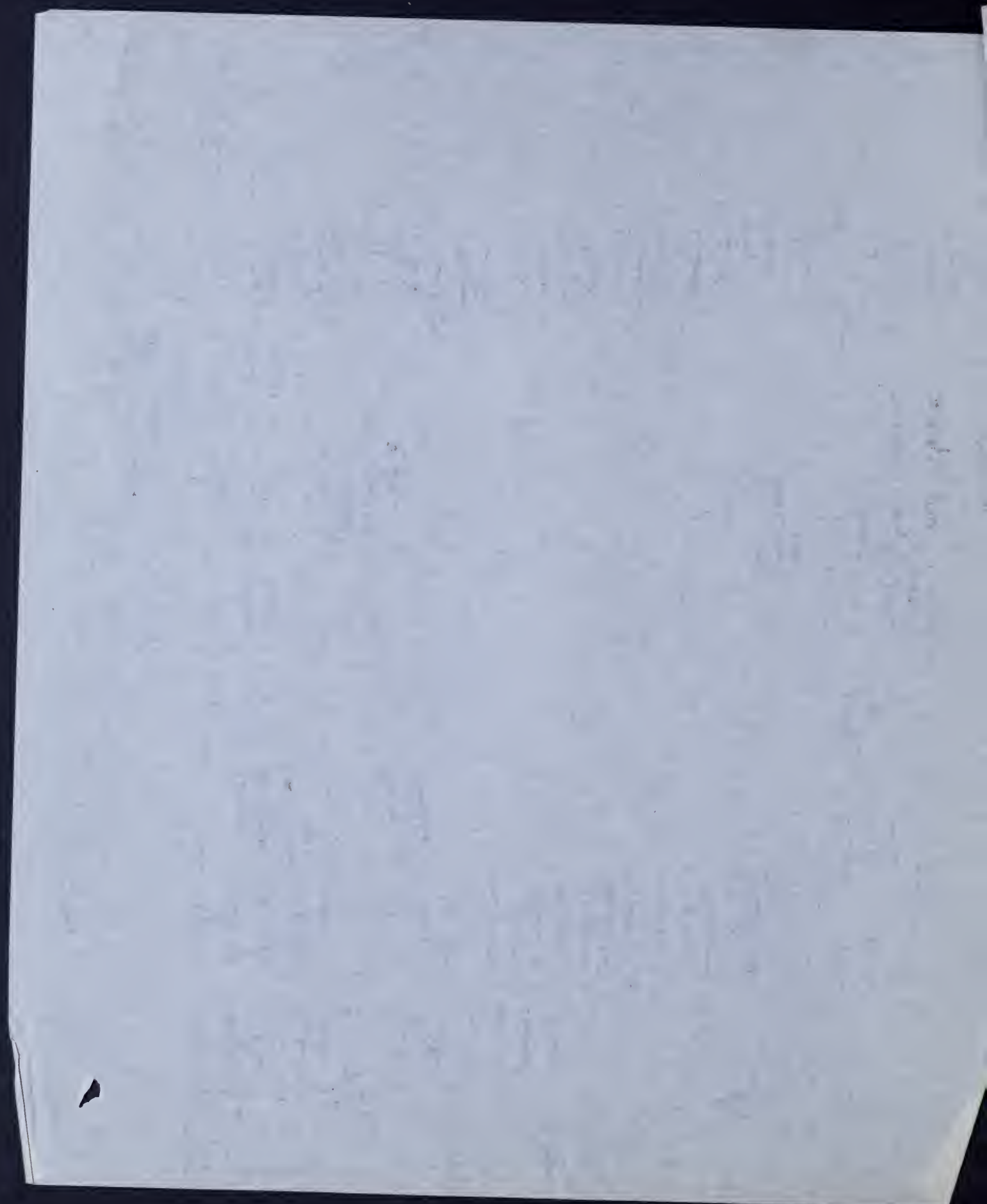
Nicholson, Archibald

Survivance K. L. Americans 25 June - 24 Oct 1777

Nicholson, Archibald 25 June 8 Sept

King L. Am. in Campaign under Lt Gen Burgoyne 1777
Nicholson, Archibald





U. E. L. Claims cont'd Nicholson 3

Dafoe. knew Dafoe's father. Remembers his land at Pownal

Alex^r Nicholson witness for claim of Capt. Anderson; late of Pownal, Vermont. "Says he was employed by Capt. Samuel Anderson in 1775 + 1776 at Pownall. He was present when his stock was sold."

Albany Committee of Correspondence

30 Apr 1776

Alexander Nicholson was brought before this Board on suspicion of being a person being inimical to the measures now pursued by the United States Colonies of America, but nothing appearing against him

Thereupon Resolved that the said Nicholson be discharged from any farther prosecution

Bay Centre (Sand Hill) Cem., No. Fredericksburgh

Catharine, wife of James Nicholson, d. 4 Sep 1869 aged 45^{yr} 5^{mo} 20^{dy}



Nicholson

Nicholson, Alexander = Sarah (da. Barnabas Hough of Lincolnton L.B. Cerke
27/6 Sidney)
→ Agnes³ bp 9.21.1788
Eunice³ bp 7.10.1791
Elisabet³ bp 1.7.1793 wts³ 12.24.1811
Barnabas³ bp 3.23.1795
Alexander³ bp 6.17.1795
Mary³ bp 7.9.1799
David³ bp 6.23.1801.

Lucretia, illeg. by David Spraing.

→ Mary³ bp 5.11.1800

Robert = Magdalena (da. Michael Bartley & Mary Paine of Fred)
(Mar 27.2.1812)
→ Sarah³ bp 1.5.1812

Chester = Catharine

→ George Henry² bp 9.6.1812

U. S. List-

Alex. 3 Soldier Loyal Rangers, L. B. M.
1789 -- 300

Reichbald 3 Loyal Rangers, A. M. L. Called Loyalists.
P. L. 1786

U. S. List Supp-

William Sergt. Fredericksburgh R. R. N. Y.

Loy. Claim

Alexander Pownal (Bennington) St. P. J. B. R. 1785

St. George's

Chester with Catharine Galloway sp. for Mary Elizabeth,

da. of Henry & Catharine Galloway 3.10.11

" = Catharine Galloway 7.23.11



1184. Claim of Alexander Nicholson, late of Bennington, Vermont — lodged in England.

Montreal, Feb. 18, 1788.

Claimt. says he was at Isle aux Noix in the fall 83, then gave in a claim to be sent to Major Jessup — delivered another to Capt. Gomersall in 84.

Is a nat. of Scotland — Came to Amer. in 74 — settled in Pownal — joined in 77 — served all the war, except the time he was Prisoner. Now lives at Bang of Quinby.

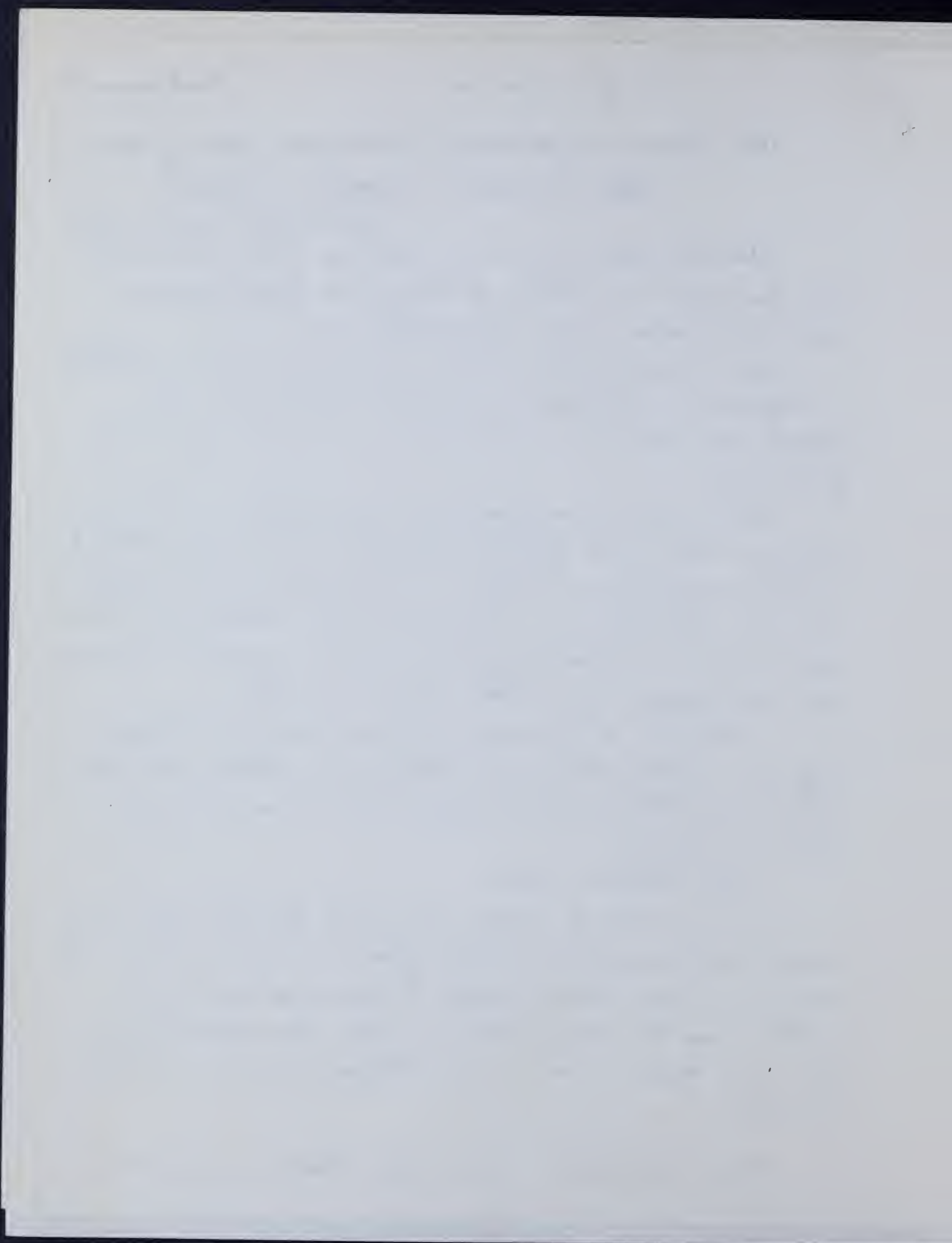
Had 200 acres that lay near William's Town, it lay on the line between Mass. & York Co. Claimt. bought it of Thomas Custon in 1776 after the war began — it was wild land. — it was to cost 1 dollar per acre, but he was to pay it part in work — part in money. He had begun some little improvements.

He had 2 horses, 2 Cows, 1 Heifer, 2 Hogs, farmers Tools, at Pownal. They were taken and sold after the Battle of Bennington, when Claimt. was taken Prisoner.

John Dapoe, Wits:

I knew Claimt. There were some lands which were call'd his. I knew that he had 2 Horses, 2 Cows, at Pownal & farmers Tools. He was taken Prisoner at Bennington Battle and the Rebels took his stock. The Rebels sold him as a slave and he was obliged to work out his freedom.

Alexr Nicholson witness for Claim of John



He is appointed on my side of board & is now in charge of the
general interests

and if we had passed the point where the Americans were, we would have been the victors of the battle. ~~ed~~ ^{ed} ~~path~~ ^{path} ~~we were the victors~~ ^{we were the victors} ~~the war to come. Even so, we would have been the victors of the war.~~ ^{the war to come. Even so, we would have been the victors of the war.} ~~the neighbor taking sides in the war.~~ ^{the neighbor taking sides in the war.} ~~the conflict to come. Being~~ ^{the conflict to come. Being}

account, ~~and~~ ^{that he felt under suspicion} ~~on the part of~~ the rebel faction ~~to~~ ^{and} his arrest in April of the latter year. It is recorded that he was called before the Committee of the Rebels, and they, finding that there was insufficient evidence against him, released him from custody. But it was not until the arrival of General Burgoyne at Ticonderoga in

1777 that Alexander, realizing that the time was ripe for action, joined the British

standard. His part in that disastrous campaign was short indeed. He had scarcely entered the ranks of Col. John Peters' Queen's Rangers when his unit was defeated and

practically annihilated at the Battle of Bennington. Alexander was captured and with his fellow prisoners was paraded through the streets of Bennington. When he came to trial his farm and stock were sold and he ~~was~~ was sentenced to slavery to work out his freedom. In the following year, after ~~serving~~ ^{completing} his period of indebtedness, he escaped to Canada and served in the Loyal Ranger Regiment of Loyalists until the end of the war.

1784 Alexander Nicholson did not with his unit when it ascended the St. Lawrence River to form the first settlement in Ernesttown township. He remained behind in St. John's, Quebec, attracted by the beauty and capability of Sarah, daughter of Barnabas Hough, or Huff, likewise a soldier in the Loyal Rangers, who had taken land on Caldwell's Manor.

Service records show that you were a prisoner of war for a period during World War II. Experience has shown that, possibly because of the hardships associated with internment, a number of ex-prisoners of war have developed disease of the lungs. This Department, in conjunction with other health organizations, is most anxious to conduct periodic examinations to detect the earliest signs of any disease. The examinations must be thorough as the earliest signs are not usually noted by the patient.

It is proposed, with your co-operation, to examine you at the end of six months following demobilization and again six months later, provided that the first examination does not indicate that more frequent examinations are advisable. As it is now about six months since your demobilization, this office proposes to conduct this medical examination at either Kingston or Peterboro, at which points the Department of Veterans' Affairs maintains adequate facilities for this purpose.

Since this is a matter of utmost importance to you, it is requested that you complete the attached form letter and return it to this office without delay, indicating the earliest and most convenient date on which you will be prepared to submit to this examination. At the same time please indicate your preference as to the place of examination, taking into consideration transportation facilities and time lost in transit.

On the receipt of your reply, this office will forward to you, unless otherwise indicated, a transportation warrant covering your bus or railway fare to and from the place of examination, as well as letter which you will relinquish to the examining doctor at the time of examination.

You will appreciate that your co-operation is a matter of vital importance to yourself and to your associations in preventing the spread of preventable disease.

Yours sincerely,



F.L. Reid, M.D.
Medical Assistant to the District Administrator.

Eskdale Farm,
Twinton, Ont.,
Jan. 14/63.

Dear Dr. Burleigh:

I understand you are the Genealogist
of the Bay of Quinte Branch of the U. E. L. Association
of Canada. Would you help us, please?

My husband traces his parentage back to
the Browsers who came from the States, &
originally they came from the Palatinate
District in Germany.

Miss Maleck tells me you have a form
we should fill in. May I have one?

The farthest back we can go just yet is —
John J. Brower } married Feb. 11th 1822
Mary Nicholson }

Issue:

1. Jane - spinster - crippled
2. Hannah - "
3. Samuel - no trace
4. William - married - dau. Ella
5. Jacob - Belleville - married - issue. Etta (Kitty)
no trace → Charles.
6. John R. - d. March 17th 1910
m. Lucy A. Young no grandchildren
Son, Garfield died July 17th 1962 in Belleville
7. Anna Maria 1826-1893 married Samuel H. Fisher
He is ^{my} husband's Feb. 11th 1846
great-grandparents.

I have had some experience in research
and will be glad to do anything you
may suggest to help.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. George Downey,

(Secy.-treas. of Bruce County Historical Society).

15 Jan., 1963.

Mrs. George Downey,
Eskdale Farms,
Tiverton, Ont.

Dear Mrs. Downey:

I have received your query re Brower and shall reply before the details have to be searched for at a later date.

The following information will be of assistance to you:

John Brower and Nancy (Mary?) Nicholson, both of Thurlow Township, were married by Rev. Robert McIlwain, Reformed Dutch, later Presbyterian, Church, on 6 February, 1822.

Mary (Nancy?)(this likely a clerical error) Nicholson, saw daughter of Alexander Nicholson, a U. E. Loyalist. Mary applied for a grant of land as the daughter of a Loyalist on 22 July, 1824, on which date an Order-in-Council granted her 200 acres.

Alexander Nicholson, of Thurlow Township, formerly of Ernesttown Township, was a native of Scotland, who came to America in 1774. In 1777, he was a soldier in Lt.-Col. John Peters' Queen's Loyal Rangers, and was captured at the Battle of Bennington. The rebels sold him as a slave, and at the Peace he came to Canada.

He married Sarah, daughter of Barnabas Hough, a Loyalist. A notice in the Daily Globe, Dec. 21, 1852, reads:

"Died at the residence of Mr. Vandervoort, in Sydney, on the 12th inst., Sarah, relict of the late Alexander Nicholson, of Thurlow, aged 85 years."

I am enclosing an application form for membership in the Bay of Quinte Branch of the U. E. L. Association, which you will read carefully, and fill in as completely as possible, as this application will be retained by the Branch and may, in years to come, supply invaluable information to future generations.

Yours sincerely,



Sons + Daughters of W.E

Michael Baitley of 3 = Mary Peters, of 3,
on 12.2.1788

daughters bp 2.10.1792 =

Robt Nicholson, of 3. OS. 27.2.1812

Barnabas Hough, of 2

daughters = Alex Nicholson of 3

L B Carl 23/6 Sydney.

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

(To be used for Departmental Cases only)

NAME..... REG. No.....

HOME ADDRESS.....

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NOT TO BE REFILLED BY DRUGGIST

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Signed.....M.D.

Deaths - Funerals

Tues Dec 27 1938

THOMAS J. NICHOLSON

The death occurred in Kingston on Monday of Thomas James Nicholson, for many years a carpenter contractor in Kingston. He had lived here practically all his life, though he was in Youngstown, O., for a time, where he followed the carpentry trade. He had been retired since 1916.

He is survived by one brother, John Nicholson, Provo City, Utah. He had been ill since June. The funeral will be held from John Cornelius funeral service parlors on Wednesday afternoon to Cataraqui Cemetery. Rev. Dr. George A. Brown of Chalmers United Church will conduct the funeral service.

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1933 Dodge Spec. Sedan
with built-in trunk and
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If there ever was one, here's the
perfect used car. Low mileage,
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1931 Ford DeLuxe Tudor
Smooth dark blue finish, mohair
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and the Model A motor is tops
mechanically.

... (Catherine Black) at Hotel
Dieu Hospital, on July 1, 1953, a daugh-
ter.

GOODWIN—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Good-
win (Lorraine Wemp, R.N.), are happy
to announce the arrival of their son,
David Robert, July 13, 1953, at the
Hotel Dieu Hospital.

HUGHES—To Lieut. W. A. and Mrs.
Hughes (Mirlam Carter) at the Royal
Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, B.C., on
July 9, 1953, a son, Laughlin Harold,
8 lbs., 1 oz.

REES—Mr. and Mrs. Paul (Curly) Rees
(Rita Mangan) are happy to announce
the birth of their daughter Lynn Ann,
Tuesday, July 14, 1953, at Toronto East
General Hospital. Mother and daughter
both doing well.

Deaths

GRAHAM—Suddenly at the Kingston
General Hospital, on Monday, July 13,
1953, Alice May Donnelly, beloved wife
of the late Donald James Graham, of
Kingston Mills. Funeral will take place
from her late residence, Kingston Mills,
1:30 Thursday afternoon to St. Luke's
Church for service at 2 p.m. Inter-
ment Cataraqui Cemetery. Friends and
acquaintances are respectfully invited
to attend.

NICHOLSON—Entered into rest at his
home, Collins Bay, R.R. 3, on Mon-
day, July 13, 1953, Chester Franklin
Nicholson, husband of the late Emma
Baker, dear father of Ila (Mrs. John
White). Resting at his late residence
for funeral service Thursday afternoon
at 2 o'clock. Interment United Church
Cemetery, Bath.

... in Edmonton.

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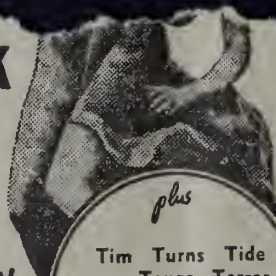
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Two Sisters Died Within Four Hours

Two sisters, Miss Lou Nicholson of this city and Miss Mary Nicholson of Hamilton died yesterday within a few hours of each other. Word was received by a nephew of the deceased women, Kirk Coward, 386 Albert Street, of the death of Miss Mary Nicholson before eleven o'clock in the morning and at 1.20 o'clock in the afternoon Miss Lou Nicholson, who resided with her nephew, passed away. Both ladies were quite elderly and had been ill for some time. Miss Lou Nicholson broke her hip on Thursday last and since that time her condition has rapidly declined.

Miss Lou Nicholson was born in Portsmouth but had lived in the city all her life with the exception of a short time spent in the West. She was the daughter of Thomas Nicholson of Kingston, a carpenter contractor here for many years. She was a member of Chalmers United Church.

Miss Mary Nicholson had been living for some time with her sister, Mrs. S. R. Capes in Hamilton. Surviving the Misses Nicholson are one sister, Mrs. S. R. Capes of Hamilton and two brothers, John of Provo City, Utah, and Thomas of Kingston. The funeral of Miss Lou Nicholson will be held on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence of her nephew, Kirk Coward, 386 Albert Street, to Cataraqui Cemetery. Funeral service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. G. A. Brown of Chalmers United Church.

The remains of the late Miss Mary Nicholson arrived in the city over the Canadian National at noon today and the funeral was held to Cataraqui Cemetery from the station. Rev. Dr. G. A. Brown conducted the service at the grave.

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Other Newspapers Are Saying

TING OFF HIS UPPERS.
(Brantford Expositor)
oe factories in Quebec and Ontario
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DARD ENGLISH USAGE.
(London Advertiser)
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a large undertaking, but a beginning
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andard spelling before the pedantic
Queen's Park meddled with it.

TELLING METHODS.
(Sherbrooke Record)
a man is Franklyn Roosevelt in that
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List of NCOs + Men who Enlisted 19 June 1776

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John Nicholson

^{of} Lt Ebenezer Jessup to Powell Quebec 26 July 1780

Representing that a number of men he brought with him have been sent to McAlpine's Corps. & asks them back

This is the List

Archibald Nicholson.

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Remarks on a List of 68 Men made out by Ebenezer Jessup, Esq., & claimed by him from the Corps of Royalists Commanded by the late Major McAlpine.

Archibald Nicholson, joined through choice. Came through the Woods with Jessup in 1776. is now in Quebec Province & always mustered and Paid with Maj. McAlpine.

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CANADIAN MEDICAL SERVICES
REPORT OF RADIOLOGICAL EXAMINATION

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Report of Radiological examination of:

Station.....
Unit.....
Date..... Radiologist.....

Dec 4 1884

C. F. Nicholson, editor of the Ontario, was married last night to Miss Frances Cumming, youngest daughter of Wilson Cumming, College Hill, by Rev. Hiram Williams. (Cobourg?)

March, 1891.

Capt. C. Howard Nicholson, Kingston, Ont., graduated from the School of Dentistry of the University of Maryland. He was elected class orator and delivered the valedictory in a short but much appreciated address.

Capt. C. H. Nicholson, of the steamer North King, who for the past three years has been pursuing a course of study in dentistry at the University of Maryland in Baltimore, has just graduated with honors. The Captain and his estimable wife (nee Miss Lillie Williams), with his sister-in-law, Miss Carrie Williams, who has been to Baltimore on a visit, are expected home this evening.

Captain and Mrs. Nicholson and Miss Carrie Williams have returned from Baltimore, and are now guests of Mr. & Mrs. M. E. Williams, of the Dunham House, Cobourg. Mrs. Nicholson will be greeted with enthusiasm by her old Cobourg friends, especially in musical circles.

Capt. C. H. Nicholson, the popular commander of the steamer North King, was united in marriage, on Tuesday last to Miss Lilly Williams, daughter of Mr. M. E. Williams, of the Dunham House, Cobourg. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Watervorth, Congregationalist minister. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Carrie Williams, and Miss Maud Mackie, Port Hope; the groom by Mr. H. Taylor, Kingston. Among the guests were C. F. Nicholson, Kingston; Dr. Watters, R. R. Pringle, Dr. & Mrs. Douglas, Mr. & Mrs. James Evans, Councillor J. McMullen, Mrs. Mackie, A. F. Hayes, R. Corbett, R. Mackie, Port Hope; Mr. & Mrs. H. J. Snellgrove, of the World, Mr. & Mrs. George Bickle, Miss Gibbard, Miss Battell, Miss Maud Battell, Mr. H. W. Nicholson, wife and daughter, brother of the groom; (he of Kingston); Mr. & Mrs. H. C. Dennis, Mrs. Parrish, sister of the groom, Trenton; Mrs. Wood, Miss Wood, etc. Port Hope Guide.

Aug 15-1891.

Mr. & Mrs. M. E. Williams have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lillie Victoria, to Capt. C. Howard Nicholson at 4.30 P.M. on Tuesday, August 12th, 1891.

(In above marriage) Rev. F. H. Taylor, of Louisville, Kentucky, was the best man.

Guests at above wedding were Mr. H. W. Nicholson, of Kingston, brother of the groom, Mrs. Hurd, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Geary, Miss Lena Hurd, Master Roy Geary, Miss F. Wood, Miss S. Wood, relatives of the bride; Mrs. Nicholson, sister-in-law of the groom, Miss Nicholson, sister of the groom; Mr. & Mrs. J. McMullen, Port Hope, Mr. H. L. W. Nicholson & Mrs. Nicholson, Kingston Junction, Miss Nicholson, Kingston.

Among the guests were Mr. & Mrs. W. Nicholson, Mrs. Parrish of Trenton, and Miss Laura Nicholson, relatives of the groom.



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Sept. 1, 1890 (Mrs. Nancy, relict of the late Samuel Nicholson)

Many in Kingston will hear with regret of the death of Mrs. Nicholson, mother of the Norseman's captain. The sad event took place in Trenton yesterday, and the funeral takes place to-day at 2 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Thos. Parish, near Trenton, to Belleville cemetery. The deceased lady had a large circle of friends, and the Norseman's popular captain has the sympathy of all in his bereavement.

In another column is recorded the death of Mrs. Nancy Nicholson, relict of the late Samuel Nicholson, and mother of Capt. Howard Nicholson, of the steamer Norseman.

Feb. 10, 1888

Nicholson-Patterson--On Feb. 10, at the residence of the bride's father, Amherst Island, by Rev. Am. Roberts, Capt. C. I. Nicholson, of the steamer Hero, to Miss Lizzie, second daughter of James Patterson, Esq.

She is Miss Elizabeth H. Patterson. Miss Annie Patterson, sister of the bride, and Mr. Chas. F. Nicholson, cousin of the groom, assisted the principals. Friends at a distance who sent gifts were: A. Nelson, Esq., of Williamsport, Pa. The groomsmen lives in Belleville, and is city editor of the Intelligencer. They expect to reside in Kingston.

All the friends of that popular officer, Capt. C. H. Nicholson, of the steamer Hero, will regret to learn that he gave up command of that vessel on Wednesday for the purpose of starting immediately to Colorado with his young wife who is a victim of consumption. The doctors recommend the change which all will hope may prove beneficial. Should the climate prove congenial it is probable that the Captain will remain in the West.

RETURNED FROM COLORADO--It is learned with great regret by the friends of Captain Nicholson, that a sojourn of several months in Denver, Col., has not been instrumental in benefiting the health of Mrs. Nicholson, and that they both have returned east. It is to be hoped that such medical treatment may be obtained as will bring about a restoration of Mrs. Nicholson's health.

Mar, 1890

The Late Mrs. Howard Nicholson.

Mrs. Capt. Nicholson died at her father's residence, Amherst Island, on Monday. Scarcely more than two years ago she became the happy bride of Capt. Howard Nicholson, of the steamer Hero. A visit to Colorado was unavailing, and a few weeks ago home she came, and there passed away yesterday.

The remains of Lizzie, beloved wife of Captain Nicholson, were interred in St. Paul's burying ground on April 14th

Captain Nicholson & his wife returned home Feb. 15, 1890, and were driven from Ernesttown to Amherst Island

Mar 3, 1890 Death of Mrs. Nicholson. From her early girlhood she had been organist in St. James' (Episcopal) Church in this town until her marriage two years ago, this extending over a space of ten years. She went to Colorado, accompanied by her husband and her aunt, Mrs. Leich, of Sandhurst. She was 24 at the time of her death. Her parents and sisters survive. Her name was Elizabeth Neilson Patterson.

The new Protestant Episcopal church, St. Alban's, at Stella, was the scene of a happy event on Monday morning, the 9th inst., when Miss Annie dau. of Jas. Patterson, Esq., married Thos. E. Saunders. They will reside in Cleveland 21



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2. Look up in Halpin and Papers
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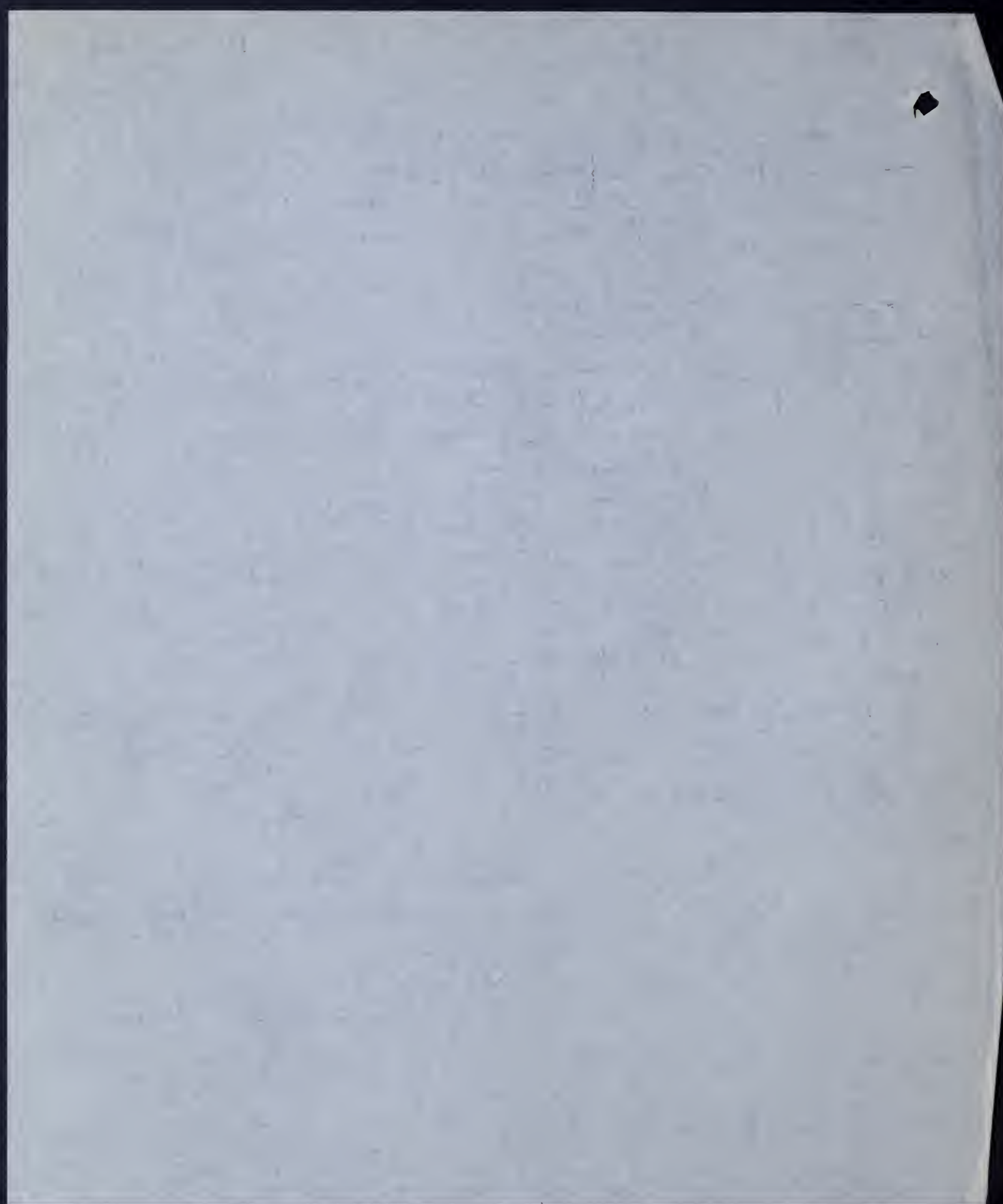
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McDowells in Fredkburgh 1810

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She aged 13 or 11 in 1781

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McDowall

marriages

Patrick Morgan, Thulow + Agnes Nicholson	1810?
Robt Nicholson 3 + Anna M. Barber (Barley?) 3	1810?
Jos Brown Thulow + Mary Nicholson Thulow	6 Feb 1822
Jos Brown Thulow + Nancy Nicholson	6 " 1822
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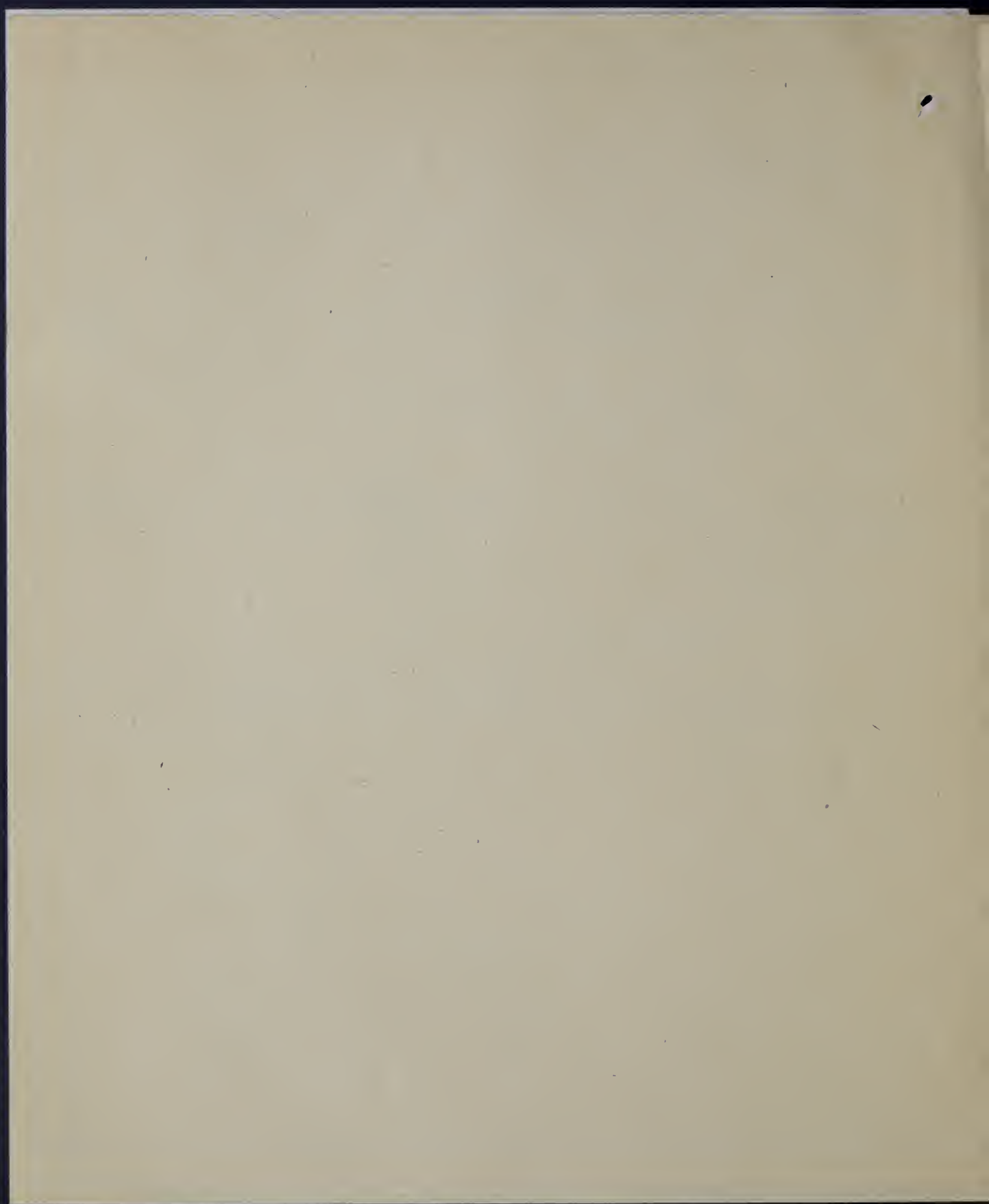
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Haldimand Papers.

Jerrius (Lt Col Benjamin) list 26 June 1784 of men he had brought with him who he had sent to McAlpine's Camp, whom he wants back

Alex^r? Archibald Nicholson

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Alex^r? Archibald Nicholson, joined through choice. He came through the woods with Jerrius in 1776. He is now in the Province. Has always been mustered and paid by McAlpine

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Pensioners for Lds at Missquoi Bay 8th Nov 26 Oct/83

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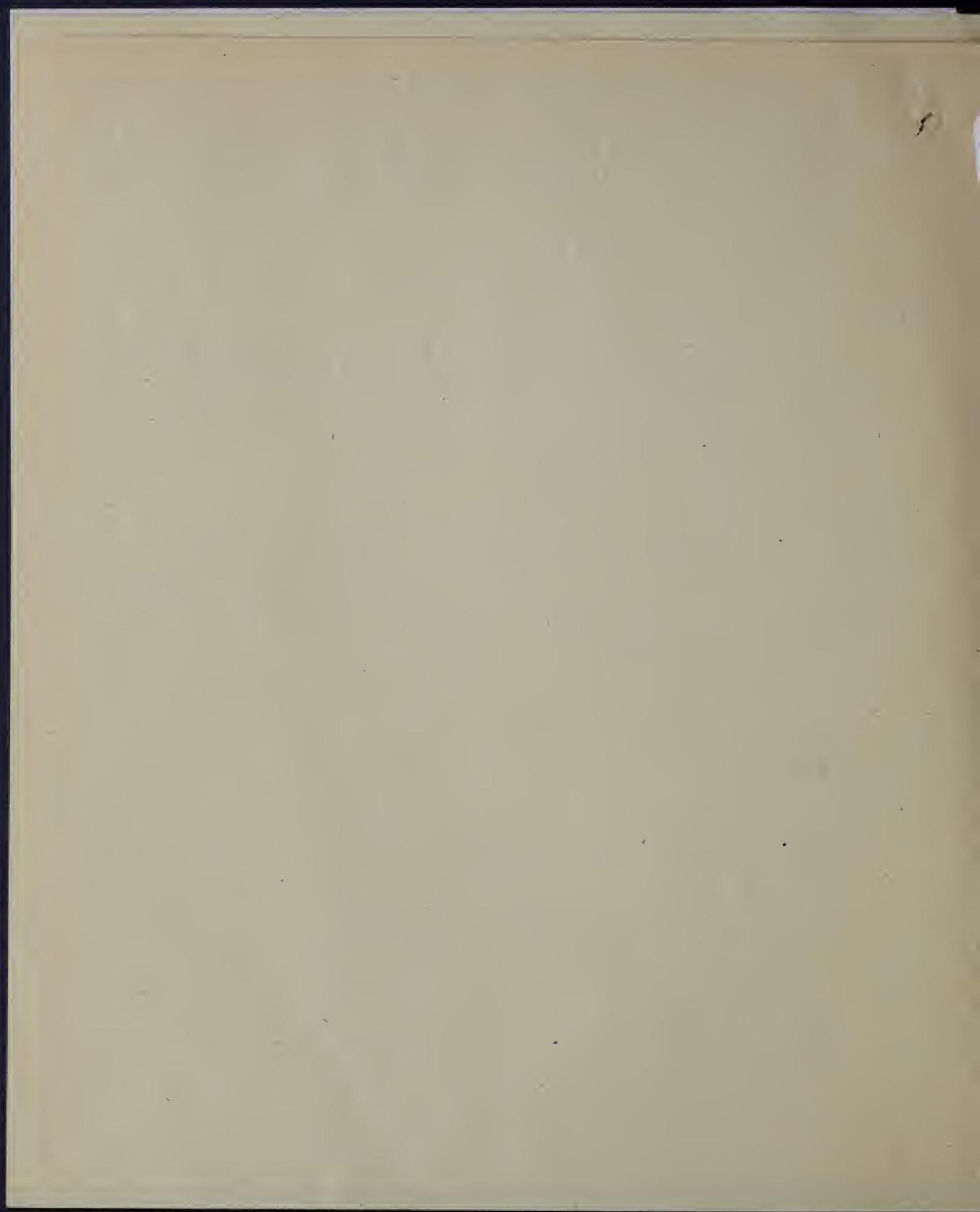
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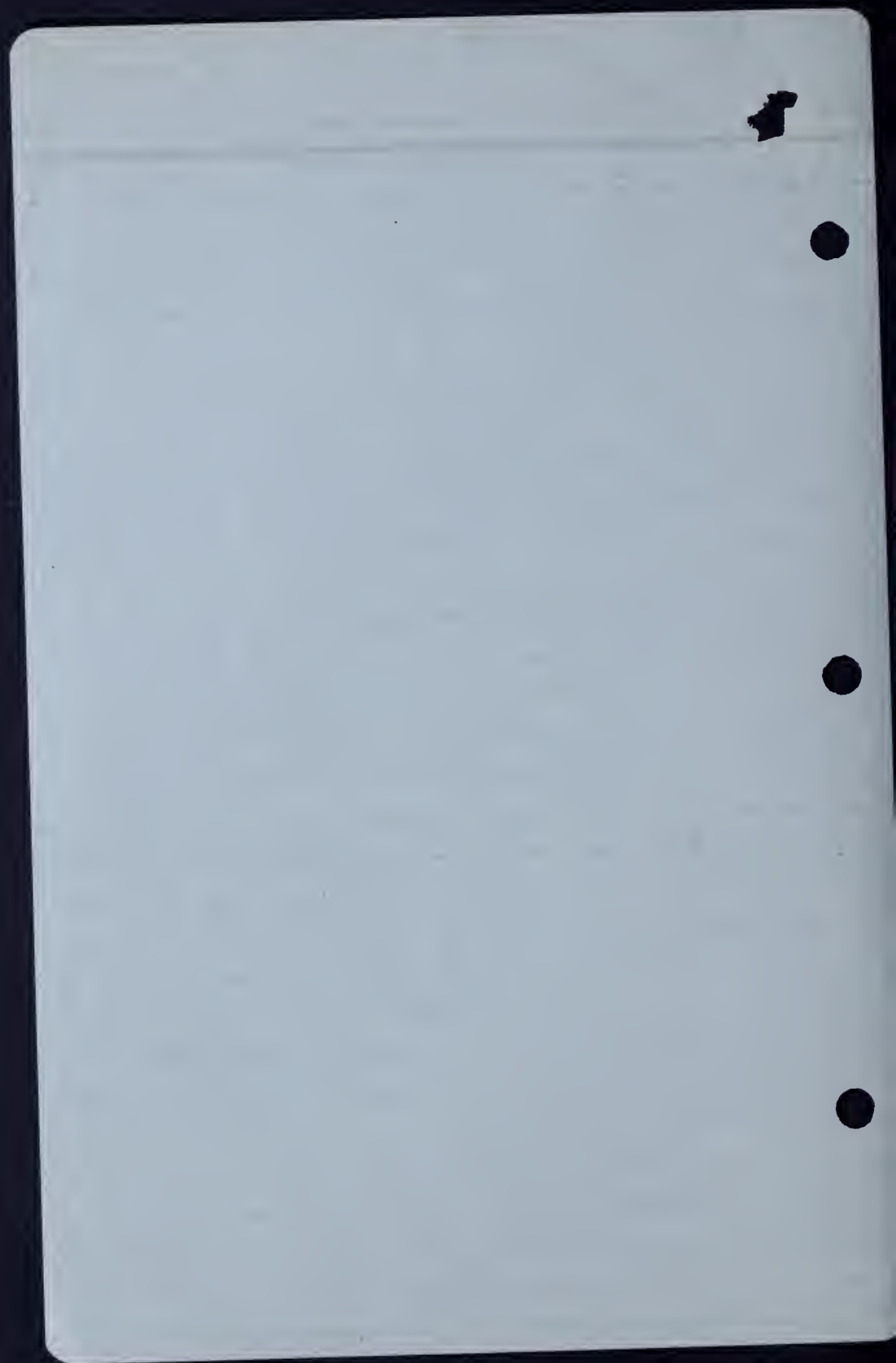
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Canniff's History

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S. Nicholson in 1816 one of committee who named Belleville



Pioneer Life on the Bay of Quinte

- P. 157 Mary E. Bush, dau of ^{mes} ~~James~~ Bush + ^{Ann J. Black} Christine Rantough who sett. in ^{Sidney} ~~Adirondack~~ Co., + grand dau. of John Bush (b 1775) + Dorcas Ross who sett. Hay Bay + finally Sidney, marr. Samuel Nicholson + sett. Sidney Issue
- James E
 - John A
 - George D
 - Rose
 - Samuel E.
- P. 302 In May 1829 Thos. Tilletson Haleck m. Hannah, dau of John Nicholson, a U.E.L., formerly of Vermont. He a gr. son of Marlin Haleck. Issue.
- Charles E. = C. H. Haleck; sett. Kingston
 - Sarah Helen = Albert Johnson; sett. Newford
 - Amanda Matilda, m. Jacob J. Dufur; sett. Niagara Falls. Sett.
 - Edison Baldwin, Judge sett. Belleville
- P. 309 Letitia Longwell, m. Barnabas Nicholson, sett. Thurlow. (bap 3.23.1795 L.R.) She dau of Jno Longwell + Margaret Hale. She b. about 1810
- P. 338 James McKee m. Sarah J. Nicholson, sett. Chicago. Issue
- Bert. He b. in Ireland + came to Can. in 1840 with father, Hugh, who sett. in Naperville. James then old enough to go to work (bap 7.10.1791 L.R.)
- P. 838 Geo. Vanderwoort b 1793 d 1870 m 1st Eunice Nicholson + 2d Catherine Hoyle. He a son of Francis Vanderwoort.
- Issue
- 1st wife: James A = 10 Anna ^{Hoyle} ~~Sawyer~~ + 2 Fanny Murray sett. Rawdon ch by 1st Geo
 - 1 Francis W = 10 Amanda Croiter sett. Rawdon
 - 3. Samuel = Margaret a Gorman sett. Rawdon.
- 5th Vanderwoort b 1801 d 1891 = Abigail Nicholson b 1807 d 1873 sett. Sidney Issue
- Wm R. Wilbur + Sarah M. Hannah A. Susan E. Jennie
- son of John nephew of Geo + Wm, = Edith Nicholson + sett. Toronto 3 ch.

Burling's widow then Mr. John & Campbell & had dau Gladys V.

- 1858 Jan. 13 Chester Nicholson, Jun., School trustee.
Jan. 27 Mrs. Nicholson here for a visit.

Rebecca Snider married George Hartman and later
a Mr. Wood. b. 8 mar 1834, d. 3 Aug 1904.

Her daughter, Zilpha, married Chester Nicholson.

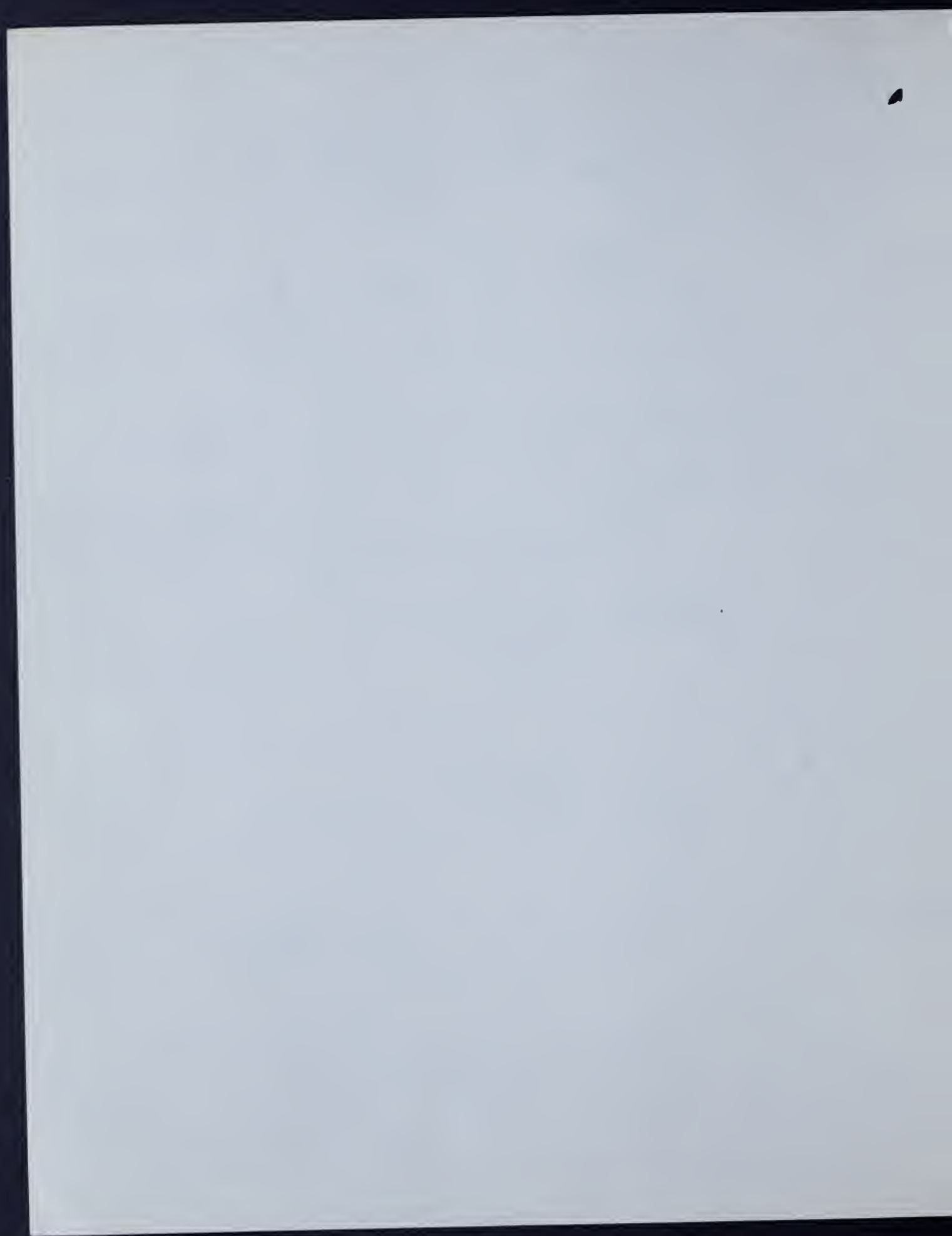
If born 6 aug 1810, she is dau. of Elizabeth (Nicholas U.E.) Amey
and John Snider. (McDonnell Register)

If born 8 Jan 1813, she is dau. of Rachel (Jonas U.E.) Amey &
Abraham Snider (McDonnell Register)

Riverside Cemetery, Napanee.

William McKim, d. 12 Jan., 1859, aged 73 yr 4 mo.

Nancy Nicholson, his wife, d. 2 Feb. 1859, aged 78 yrs.



- 1854 Jan. 29 Jemima Mooers came here P. M. with C. Nicholson.
- Mar. 31 Mr. Chester Nicholson, Jun., is framing a stable and shed for Charles S. Clark.
- Aug. 13 Mrs. Chester Nicholson, Jun., confined of a son, who died in about two hours.
- Oct. 2 Mrs. Nelson Snider (alias Margaret Nicholson) confined of a son A. M.
- 1855 Jan. 10 Chester Nicholson elected School Trustee in place of Mr. Garbutt.
- Jan. 16 Mr. Dennis Wood and Miss Abba Ann Nicholson married P. M.
- June 25 I went to Bath ask an evidence for Mr. C. Nicholson, Jun., in a suit with Francis Papin respecting a cow.
- Sep. 3 Mr. Henry Nicholson was gathering apples with a horse and buggy on the School lot, when his horse started off and went down a steep bank into Parrot's bay and was immediately drowned.
- Nov. 27 Wm. J. Clark moved from Kingston to Chester Nicholson's house.
- 1856 Apr. 10 Mrs. Dennis Wood (Abba Ann Nicholson) confined of a son.
- May 6 A donation Tea meeting P. M. at Mr. Chester Nicholson's, Jun., for the benefit of the Rev. Wm. Sills, Episcopal Methodist, who is stationed in Kingston.
- Oct. 9 Mrs. Chester Nicholson, Jun., confined of a daughter A. M., which died in a few hours.
- 1857 Mar. 22 Mrs. Nicholson, Sen., is very sick and not expected to live--her children have collected to see her die.
- May 26 Colborne's wife and Miss Allie Jane Nicholson here P. M.
- June 28 A Field Meeting at Mr. Chester Nicholson's, Jun., by the Episcopal Methodists. (Sunday).
- July 26 ditto (Sunday).
- Sep. 3 Messrs. Wm. Baker and Henry Nicholson here threshing with machine.
- Nov. 23 Mrs. Nelson Snider (Margaret Nicholson) confined of a daughter A. M.
- Dec. 1 Lewis S. Clark (my youngest son) and Miss Allie Jane Nicholson married at evening by the Rev. E. J. Fulford, Episc. Meth.



- 1834 June 19 George Nicholson died this afternoon--of fits.
- 1836 Feb. 9 Mr. Nicholas Hartman and Miss Harriet Nicholson married.
- June 9 Mrs. Chester Nicholson confined of a daughter.
- Dec. 20 Mr. Adam Davy and Miss Hannah Nicholson married.
- 1837 Apr. 20 Thomas Smith, Jun., and Miss Julia Ann Nicholson married.
- 1843 Apr. 21 Chester Nicholson's birth day, being 21 years old.
- 1845 Jan. 1 Mr. Henry Nicholson and Miss Hannah VanWinckel married.
- Apr. 15 Mr. Samuel Smith and Miss Clariss Nicholson married.
- 1848 June 26 Fanny Nicholson commenced working here.
- Aug. 28 Fanny Nicholson went home, having worked here two months.
- Oct. 19 Thomas Dier Clark and Fanny Nicholson married P. M.
- 1849 Oct. 28 Mr. Chester Nicholson and Miss Zilpha Hartman married. *Says- Mrs. Alice Miller (dan. of George Hartman & Rebecca Snider)*
- 1850 Apr. 14 Mrs. Chester Nicholson, Jun., confined of a daughter.--married 28th Oct. last.
- Sep. 9 Chester Nicholson, Jun., put my hogs in pound.
- 1851 Apr. 6 Henry Nicholson and wife, and others, joined the Wesleyan Methodist Society.
- Aug. 30 Martha Nicholson's birth day, being 21 years old.
- Sep. 23 William J. Clark and Miss Martha Nicholson married P. M. by the Rev. George Car.
- 1852 Mar. 15 Mr. Alfred Welstead moved to the 6th Concession of Kingston-- he has purchased Mr. Charles Powley's farm. Chester Nicholson, Jun., moved into Mr. Welstead's house on the front; and Leonard Vanluven into Chester Nicholson's house.
- Apr. 19 Mrs. Chester Nicholson, jun., confined of a daughter.
- Nov. 22 H. Nicholson plastering Charles' house.
- 1853 June 3 Mrs. Wm. J. Clark, two Misses Nicholson, &c., here P. M.
- Dec. 13 Mr. Nelson Snider ~~and~~, 5th Concession, and Miss Margaret Nicholson married P. M.

Jan 1	to Jan 10	1875
Jan 11	to Jan 20	1875
Jan 21	to Jan 30	1875
Jan 31	to Feb 10	1875
Feb 11	to Feb 20	1875
Feb 21	to Feb 28	1875
Feb 29	to Mar 10	1875
Mar 11	to Mar 20	1875
Mar 21	to Mar 30	1875
Mar 31	to Apr 10	1875
Apr 11	to Apr 20	1875
Apr 21	to Apr 30	1875
Apr 31	to May 10	1875
May 11	to May 20	1875
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May 31	to Jun 10	1875
Jun 11	to Jun 20	1875
Jun 21	to Jun 30	1875
Jun 31	to Jul 10	1875
Jul 11	to Jul 20	1875
Jul 21	to Jul 30	1875
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Aug 21	to Aug 30	1875
Aug 31	to Sep 10	1875
Sep 11	to Sep 20	1875
Sep 21	to Sep 30	1875
Sep 31	to Oct 10	1875
Oct 11	to Oct 20	1875
Oct 21	to Oct 30	1875
Oct 31	to Nov 10	1875
Nov 11	to Nov 20	1875
Nov 21	to Nov 30	1875
Nov 31	to Dec 10	1875
Dec 11	to Dec 20	1875
Dec 21	to Dec 30	1875
Dec 31	to Jan 10	1876

Anderson 4.15
Allen 10

Hartman 5.8²
Hatch 10.12.14.15.22
Huff 10.13.15.17.18.19.26.22
Hogbe 12.14.15
Hough 17.18.19.20
Hunter 22
Hurd 23

Root 10.22
Ross 12
Roberts 21

Battell 23
Baker 6.8
Bloomfield 11
Bush 12.15.16
Burlison 12
Banley 17
Bartley 17
Brown 17
Brower 17
Buckle 23

Johnson 12.14.15

Sprang 2
Smith 5.8²
Snider 5.6.8
Sills 6
Saunders 21
Snelgrove 23

Longwell 12.14.15
Lake 12
Leich 21

Campbell 10.12
Cook 8
Clark 5.6.8³
Car 5
Cumming 11.14.23
Crouter 12.14.15
Corbett 23

McMullen 10.14.22.23
McKee 12.15
McKin 17

Taylor 23.23
Trages 23

Davy 5.8
Dafoe 3.12.14.15
Douglas 23
Dennis 23

Moore 6
Murray 12.14.15
Morgan 16.17
Merit 17
Mackee 23

Vanderwoort 12.14.15
VanLoven 5²
Van Winkler 5.6

Euston 15
Evans 23

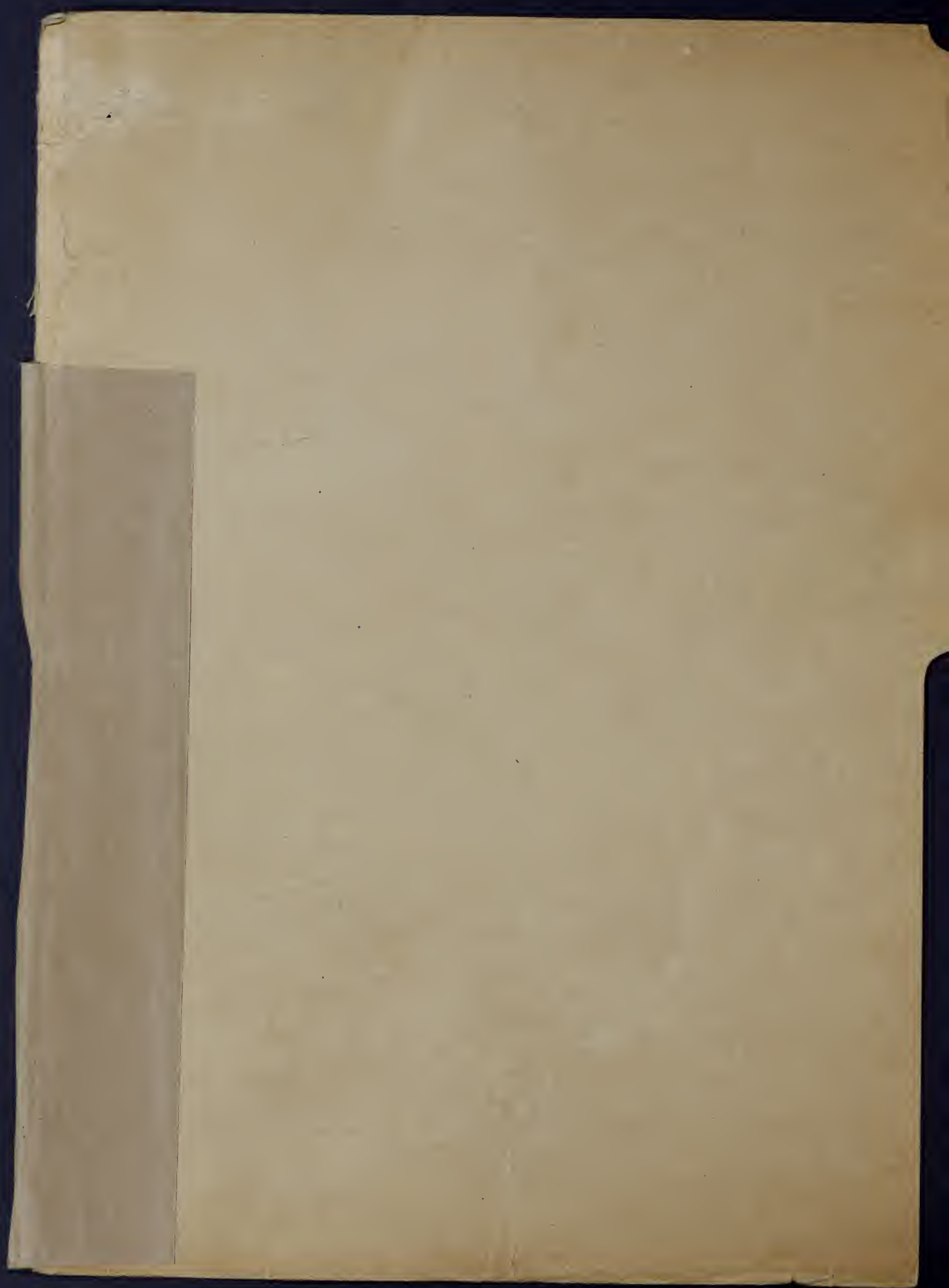
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Neilson 21

Welshead 5
Wood 6.8.23
Wemp 8
Williams 11.14.15.23²
Waterworth 23

Fulford 6
Faleck 10.12.14.15.19.22
Fearnley 22

Galloway 2
German 12.14.15
Gibbard 23
Gears 23

Patterson 11.14.15.21
Powley 5
Papin 6
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Parish 10.21.23
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Mar 3 1890

Mrs C H N died at her father's residence at 1, Bond in St. Paul's
burying ground on Apr 14 at 24 yrs.

Placed in Vault Conway 5th

Sons & Daughters of U.E.

Nicholson, Alexander of Thurlow, mar. Sarah Hough, dau of
Barnabas Hough, U.E. From Daily Globe, Dec 21, 1852:

"Died at the residence of Wm. Vandervoort in Sydney on
12 inst. Sarah, relict of the late Alex. Nicholson of Thurlow,
aged 85 years."

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| S. Robert of Fredericksburgh, mar. Magdalene Bartley. | O.C. 8 Feb 1808 |
| d. Agnes, mar. Patrick Morgan of Thurlow | 16 Feb 1810 |
| d. Eunice, bapt 10 July 1791 | 20 Jan 1816 |
| S. Barnabas of Thurlow | 18 Mar 1818 |
| d. Elizabeth, mar. — Bartley of Sidney | 22 Feb 1834 |
| S. John James McNabb, of Thurlow | 3 Apr 1834 |
| d. Hannah, mar. Thomas T. Fralick of Sidney | do |
| S. Sterling H. of Thurlow | 2 Oct 1834 |
| d. Abigail born 11 Apr. 1807; mar. Wm Vandervoort, of
Sydney 18 Apr. 1826; died 14 Oct. 1873 | 15 Dec 1832 |
| d. Mary, mar John Brown (Brown) of Thurlow,
6 Feb. 1822 | 22 July 1824 |
| S. Alexander of Thurlow | do |
| S. David of Thurlow, bapt. 23 June 1801 | do |
| S. Samuel, of Thurlow | 10 Jan 1833 |
| d. Margaret, born 27 Aug. 1810 | |

Bartley Michael of Fredericksburgh, mar. Mary Peters of Fredericksburgh
on 12 Feb 1788

- d. Magdalene, bapt 2 Oct 1792, mar Robert Nicholson
of Fredericksburgh O.C. 27 Feb 1812

Hough, Barnabas of Emscattown

- d. Sarah, mar Alexander Nicholson of Fredericksburgh L Berte 23/6 Sidney.

Larroway Isaac Sr of Fredericksburgh 2d Batt K.R.R. N.Y., mar.
Hannah —

- d. Mary, mar. Archibald Nicholson of Camden

O.C. ²⁴ Nov 1807
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^{ward}
C H Nicholson (b. Belleville? Chas Nicholson dated 1878

Purser on Hero for 3 yrs, then Capt of Hero

1883 Capt was Thos Craig & CHN. purser of Hero.

1889 m Bloomfield, mate on the Hero

1889 Capt Nicholson of Hero takes wife to Colorado for her health (consuming time)

1887 " " " "

? " " " Norseman. below Port Hope & Charlotte

1891 CHN. Sen 7. & P. Apt P* Hope for L Out Steamboat Coy. & also capt of Eurydice

No King built 1891 & to be ready about May 20th

on new P* to
Charlotte.

CHN purser of Hero, formerly of Geo Ritchie & Co

He attended Roy. Coll. of Phys. & Surg during time he was purser on Hero.

& at end of one season resumed study at K. Med. Coll

Succeeded Capt Craig as Capt of Hero.

1885 CHN Capt of Hero; m Bloomfield mate.

Well known at Deseronto

1888 - CHN Capt of Hero

? " " " Norseman

1890 " " " " P* H. to Rochester m.

1893 Capt CHN. grad as dentist at Univ. of Maryland Baltimore Had studied
prior 3 yrs

~~1884~~ 1. " m Mrs {Ellis} {Mullis} dan of B. Williams of Cobourg. H. New
Capt of St No King.

C F Nicholson, editor of the Ontario = Dec 1889 Frances, youngest
dan of Wilson Cumming, College Hill. (Cobourg?)

Aug 2 1892 Capt CHN com of No King, m. Lilly, ^{Victoria} dan of Mr M B. Wm of Dunbar.

House Cobourg.
(Hotel)

Present (H) W Nicholson of Kingston

(HE W) & brother

hus N s. in law

Miss Laura N

Miss N sister (of H)

Ald. Vuchullen of Port Hope.

Dr CHN of Rochester

Wes son Neilson

9th
1888

CHN m 9 inst, while capt of Hero, Mrs Elizabeth N. ^{of Belleville} dan.

Gas Gallison Esq of A. S. Chas. F. Nicholson, ^{of Belleville} m is cousin.

(Remember the Hero's Tablecloth)

City Editor of Intelligencer

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Frableck

Sept 14 19

Died in 1C

Mrs Hannah, widow of the late T.T. Frableck, + mother of Judge Frableck, d. at 7.30 o'clock this AM at the residence of her son-in-law Mr. C.H. Hatch, K. The deceased lady, who had attained the advanced age of 87 yrs, 6 mos. & 6 days, was b. in Thurlow on what was known as the Fearnley farm on Mar 8 1805. She was the fifth daughter of Alex. Nicholson & Sarah (Huff) Nicholson who were U.E.L. Mr Nicholson was an engineer under Gen Bury during the war, & his wife removed from the Lake Champlain region to Canada in 1785. The only one of his children now living is M. J. Nicholson of this city.

Nicholson - on Fri 3rd ^{inst} 1885 (Apr?) G. C. Nicholson, son of Mr. Samuel Nicholson & 20 yr 11 mo. Funeral for family residence Albert St. Capt C.H. Nicholson died in Thurlow. Her many friends in Napier

David Nicholson b. Fitchburg 1801, d. 27 Kingston Dec 1883. Concluded many yrs ago at a camp-meeting held in Thurlow. married E.A. Phillips who died abt 16 months before him. He has many children. Funeral services by H. Allen & Rev Amos Campbell.

Mrs. Mrs. McMullen a brother of Mrs. Samuel Nicholson mother of Capt Nicholson. She is listed as of Belleville but d. at Trenton

Mrs. McMullen is councillor of P.H. or C.O.B. Has 2 sons

Mary McMullen wife of Chas Root; d. at Kingston Depot at 68 yrs. 1 week in Belleville.

Mrs. Samuel Nicholson d. at home of son-in-law Thos Parish, near Trenton. Intended Belleville. Sept 1 1890

Mrs. Nancy Nicholson widow of the late Samuel N.

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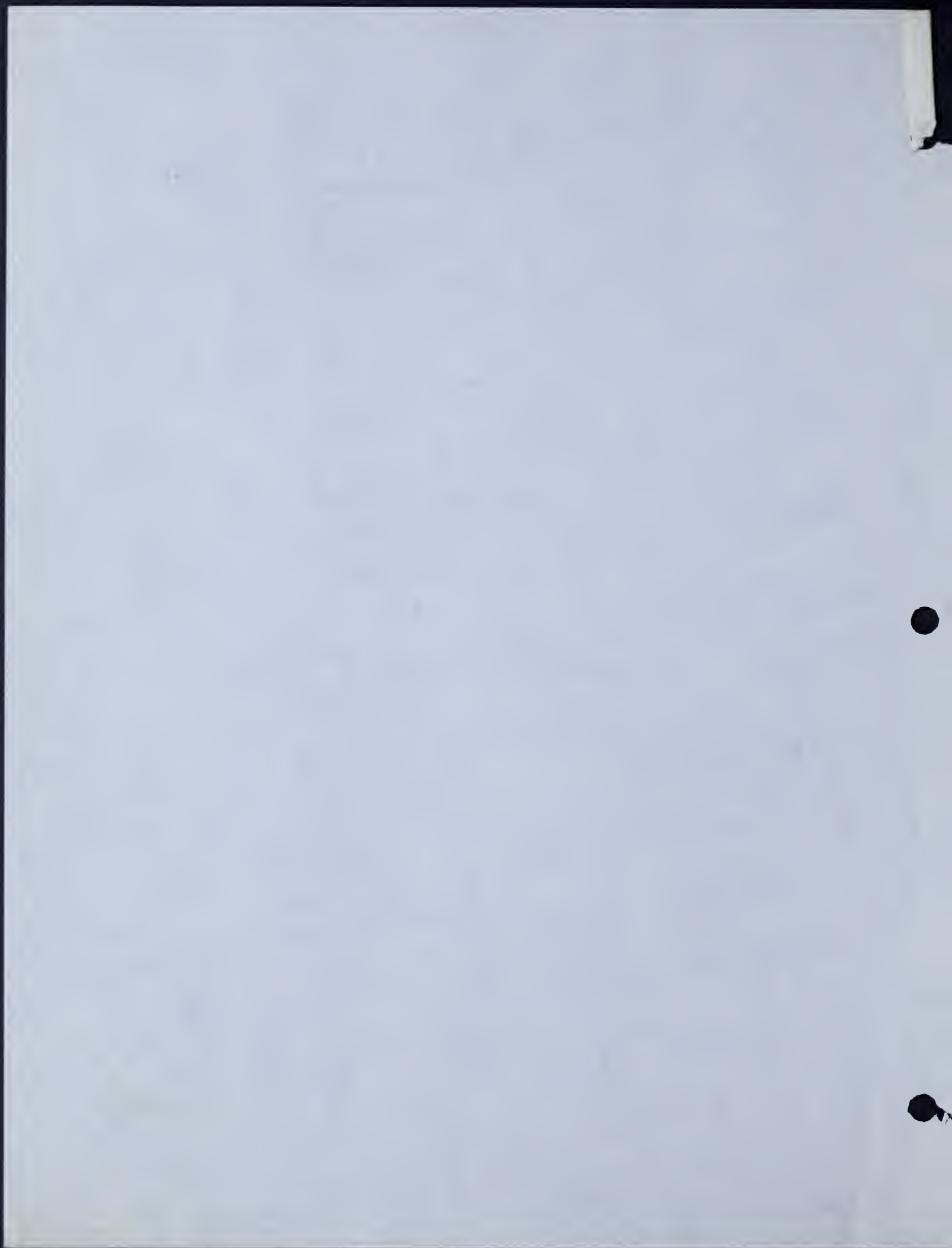
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~~Scott, W~~ 3
~~George~~ 3
~~Hon. R. W.~~ 5
~~Sudder, Edward Seymour~~ 4
~~Mrs. "~~ 4
~~A. Melville~~ 4
~~(Mrs. Potter)~~ 4
~~(Mrs. Buck)~~ 4
~~Snider, Mary C. (Mrs. Boyers)~~ 5
~~David W~~ 5
~~James~~ 5
~~Stevenson R~~ 5
~~Smith, James~~ 6
~~Stewart Mrs~~ 6
~~Stiles Mrs (nee Smith)~~ 7
~~Smith Mrs. H. (nee Folger)~~ 7
~~Shaver, James~~ 8
~~Edgar~~ 8
~~Stuart Wallace~~ 8
~~Stenson Maria (Mrs Waldron)~~ 10
~~Conelido~~ 10
~~Scrill Mrs Ernest (nee August)~~ 10
~~Sutabury Mrs F. G. (nee ")~~ 10
~~Shaw (Mrs George (nee Young))~~ 13
~~Smith Mrs. C.~~ 14
~~Lucy~~ 14
~~Spencer, Mrs W Charles~~ 15
~~Mrs. " (nee Smyth)~~ 15
~~Myrtle Irene~~ 15
~~Wilfred Harold~~ 15
~~Smyth Ruth Ann (Mrs. Spencer)~~ 15
~~Stiel, A R~~ 15
~~Mrs. " (nee McDonald)~~ 15
~~Spencer Margaret (Mrs. McWaters)~~ 16
~~Smith Henry Thos~~ 17
~~Mrs. " (nee Quintell)~~ 17
~~Alfred~~ 17
~~Mrs. "~~ 17
~~(Mrs. McDonald)~~ 17
~~Shaw Mrs George H (nee Young)~~ 18

~~Smith, James~~ 19
~~First Mrs~~ 20
~~Smith Norman~~ 21
~~Mrs. " (nee Heath)~~ 21
~~Schiffman, Deborah (Mrs McHenry)~~ 22
~~Scott, Norris Winfield~~ 22
~~Mrs. " (nee McQueen)~~ 22
~~Seaton Alice Gertrude (Mrs. Kirkwood)~~ 22
~~Shingane Wm H~~ 22
~~Mrs. " "~~ 22
~~(Mrs Whitty)~~ 22
~~Shilton~~ 22
~~Oliver~~ 22
~~John~~ 22
~~Savage, Berice~~ 24
~~Sawyer, William~~ 24
~~Shepard Emily~~ 2
~~Thompson Miss W~~ 3
~~Tandell Francis~~ 4
~~Mrs. "~~ 4
~~Ethel~~ 4
~~Florence~~ 4
~~John~~ 4
~~William~~ 4
~~Lewis~~ 4
~~George~~ 4
~~Charles~~ 4
~~Mrs. P.~~ 4
~~Charles B~~ 4
~~Turner, Emma~~ 5
~~Tulloch W A~~ 12. 16. 17. 24. 25. 25. 21. 19. 19. 17. 16
~~Mrs. " 6. 14. 14 (nee Pretty) (Mrs Deford)~~ 15
~~Dorothy 6. 14 Dorothy Bell (Mrs Norman)~~ 15
~~G. Thos 8. 12~~
~~William~~ 12
~~Mrs. " (nee Baker)~~ 12
~~Jessie (Mrs Miller)~~ 12
~~Robina (Mrs Messeth)~~ 12
~~Minnie~~ 12
~~Thomas~~ 14
~~Mrs Catherine~~ 14
~~Martha Isabella Sarah~~ 17. 21



~~Horace~~
Norman, Fred 14 25
Mrs .. 14.25
~~Betty Ames 14.25~~
Horace 25
Mrs .. 25
~~William 25~~
Offord, Wm Charles 2
O'Donnell John 2
John Jr 2
Annie 2
Kathleen 2
O'Connor Dr 12

~~Pague, Henry 1~~
Penfold, Albert Cartney 2
Pittie Mrs. Annie 2
Phillips Charles 3
Mrs .. (nee Acton) 3
Potts Mrs (nee Suddard) 4
Prettie R.D. 6.16
Patten Mrs 6
Mrs 6
Prettie Macomber 6
Purdy George (Mrs Rankin) 12
Patricia Fred 12
Mrs .. 12
Thelma Marie (Mrs. Asselstine) 12
Prettie Sarah Ames (Mrs Deford)
Mrs Zullock) 16 19 23
Robert 19
Post Kenneth 22
Mrs .. (nee McKendry) 22

Quackenbush Wm H. 25
Mrs .. (Anelia) 25
Dr. Arnoldi 25
Quintell George (Mrs Smith) 17

Robert Joseph 1
Mrs .. 1
Lynwood 1
Iryina 1
Mabel

~~Randall, Carl Harry 2~~
~~Mrs Georgia A 2~~
~~Huebert 2~~
Rodway, Sadie E 2
Ridgway Mr 6
Mrs 6
Richard James 6
Mrs .. (nee Mair) 6
John 6
L. Col. 6
Mrs .. 6
Rings, Janet (Mrs Campbell) 8
William 8
Elsie 8
Mary 8
Romey, Albert Edward 11
Mrs .. (nee Weller) 11
George 11
Rankin D. J. 12
Mrs .. (nee Purdy) 12
Anthony M 12.16
Mrs .. (nee Jones) 16
Dr. W.H. 12
Mrs Bushell 12
Mrs Losee 12
Marion 16
David 16
Rosa Dr 17
Rodrigue Frank 20
Reynolds, William 20
Mrs .. (nee Heath) (Mrs. Hillier) 20
Ethel 20
Grant 20
Reed Ellen A (Mrs. Marsh) 22
Robert 22
Seunders, William 1
William Robert 2
Stanford Mrs Thomas Sr 2
Shiley Mrs. J. D. 2
Jessie E (nee Winter) 2
Smith George 3
Mrs Mary (nee Downey) 3
Joseph 3

Chae
Jno J. Brown
member

east = South Hill
1350-1820
(13 m. in 1781
in 1768 m. 1770)

Heavy = two phases

2581.6.87

(17.5)

in
the
great
Sand
Hammock
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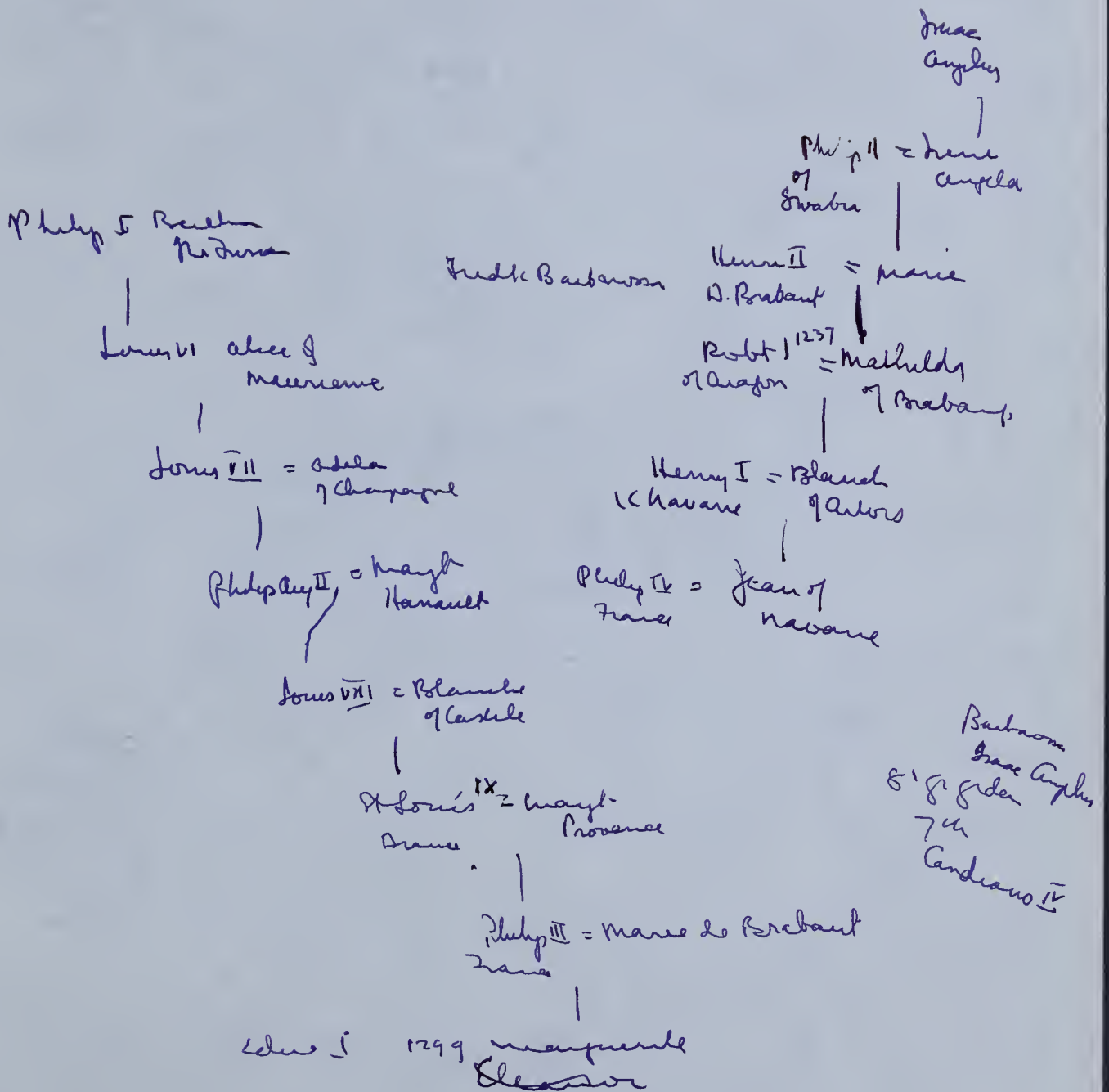
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& McDowell.

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Dear Dr Burleigh:

Thank you for your promptness in answering my request for an application form, and especially for the information you sent with it. I had never heard before that white men were sold as slaves in the States. They were really upset, weren't they?

I have finished the application form and as I was sitting here going over it in my mind, there seemed to be something nagging me in the back of my mind. Then I remembered it was about Anna Maria's parents' names. My memory did not coincide with what I had been told in the last six months!

Last July ^{my mother} Garfield Scott Brower died in Belleville without a will and a family tree has been compiled since then.

This tree says "John J. Brower m. Mary Nicholson" and their children were Jane, Hannah, Samuel, William, Jacob, John P, and Anna Maria.

I remembered that Aunt Maude Downey told me years ago that her great-grandmother was Hannah Nicholson and her great-grandfather was William Brower.

I re-read letters that I had in my possession and found one from Mrs. Leila Payne (cousin of Aunt Maude) who said in her letter that the names were Hannah and William.

This bears out my memory, and as I have made a mistake in telling you John J. & Mary
Brower Nicholson

I shall have to ask you for a second copy.

I am enclosing the one I made out, so that you can criticize it. Have I included too much information outside the Brower family?

I believe the information about Alexander Nicholson may be correct for our family. My reason for saying this is — Miss Fraeclck says her father used to visit the Browsers on Sunday afternoons and she thinks they were connections of hers. Her grandmother was Hannah Nicholson, and L. Neilson Nicholson of Belleville is her cousin.

Mr. Nicholson told Miss Fraeclck this family information of his —

Alexander Nicholson, 1750-1820 wife, Sarah Huffman.

Daughter Mary, b. Apr. 23, 1799, died Sept. 28, 1852.

(some, perhaps all, are buried in churchyard of St. Thomas Anglican Church, Belleville).

Mary married John Brower — 4 sons, William, John, Jacob, and Samuel, and 2 daughters, Hannah and Jane.

Notice the similarity between the above name, Sarah Huffman and the one you sent me, Sarah Hough.

Also notice the dates of death — Sept. & Dec of 1852.

Also — both Mary and our Hannah Nicholson each had children of similar names. The only difference is that our Hannah had an extra girl, Anna Maria.

There is something odd about it all.

This is the information I have about Hannah Nicholson and J. W. Brower's children.

1. Jane — spinster
2. Hannah — spinster

Aunt Maria's mother used to speak of the Fraeclcks.

2. Samuel - graduate of Toronto Model School 1854.
- Lost trace of him.

4. William - married - daughter Ella. As far as I
can understand, she was a spinster.

5. Jacob - married Harriett? - dau. Rita (Kitty)
son Charles - no trace of them.

Jacob died Nov. 21. st. 1894 - obituary does
not mention wife or family. Lived in Belleville.
These buyers.

6. John R. - m. Lucy A. Young on Sept. 23, 1874
He died March 17, 1910.

Issue:

A. Rupert Elhadstone Young b. Oct. 18, 1876
m. Georgina Palos (a Greek) on Apr 24, 1917
Gladstone d. July 30, 1927 No family.

B. Mabel Evelyn b. Oct. Nov. 14, 1878
d. Aug. 17, 1879

C. Freeman Garfield Scott Browne b. May 20, 1883
m. Florence Prentice Apr. 19, 1916.
He died July 17, 1962. No family.

7. Anna Maria b. May 28th, 1826 d. Sept 20, 1893.
Samuel Fisher b. Oct. 24th 1820 (Ireland).
d. Nov. 12th 1897
Married Feb 17th 1846. Ten children

Issue:

A. Olive Matilda Mar. 21-1848 Nov. 29-1868

B. Phoebe Jane Sept. 21-1850 Dec. 7 -1926

C. Mary Ann Nov. 25-1852 Feb. 6-1930

D. Samuel Allen Oct. 22-1854 Dec 17-1933

E. John Wesley June 5-1856 Oct. 20-1926

F. Hannah Melissa Oct. 20-1858

G. James Caleb Oct. 30-1860 Nov. 1932

H. William H. Feb. 13-1863 May 24-1929

I. David L. June 26-1865

J. Benjamin Franklin Dec. 12-1869 Jan. 25-1934

Sam Fisher came to Canada 1841. Bought lot 7, cone 6
Hungerford Twp. on Oct. 29, 1847

John & Jacob also attended Toronto
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The family visited two Lady Brower relatives in N.Y. state - don't know who they were.

Mrs. Moran (dau of Hannah Melissa, called Aunt Rethie) speaks of John J. Brower in her letters as great-grandfather.

Can you help me clear up this confusion?

The original homestead was in Sidney township, conc. 3, in neighbourhood of Atkins Church.

Mrs. Gladstone Brower (Georgina Palos) died 1960 & had been living with a family named Symonds.

"All the Browsers except the great grandfather John J. are buried in Belleville cemetery. All of them except John J. attended Holloway Methodist Church." Quoted from Mrs. Moran's letter.

Is it possible John J. was father of William who married Hannah Nicholson? If this is so, he must be the U. E. Loyalist.

I wish I could work with you on the search. I thoroughly enjoy doing family research work.

One of my own problems has kept me puzzled for several years, although I have followed many trails & written many letters & made phone calls to strangers. I cannot learn where my grandfather John Fairbairn lived in Scotland. Nor can I trace & of my grandfather's brothers.

I am working on several of our families - Troscut, Fairbairns, Downhys, Fishers, Macdonalds, Mac Georges, Drydens, Browne, Browsers. It is fun.

I am working on the Tiverton Tweedsmuir History too, and sec. Treas. of Bruce Co. Historical Society - also on the 4th year as the Bruce Museum Board. Or have I told you this in my first letter. Please forgive me if I have repeated myself.

It is a fascinating hobby, isn't it?

Please accept my apologies for ruining the copy you gave me! May I have it back with a new form so that I may copy it with corrections?

Thank you for your help & I hope you can help me further.

Sincerely yours,

Hilda F. Browne.

P.S. - Can you tell me where the local Drydens came from in Scotland? Mine (Waterloo Co.) came in 1832 from near Hawick, Roxburghshire, but cannot locate his birthplace, although I found his wife's, 1785, near Hawick. I had a classmate at College, John Dryden. Is his family part of the Drydens you know? Eskdale Farm, Tiverton, Ont.,
 Syl Apps M.P. it's low in mine. I.D. April 6/67.

Mary Nicholson = 6 Feb 1822 John Brower
 (Brown?) of Thurlow. Mar O.C. 22.7.1824

Dear Dr. Burleigh,

You have helped me before and I am back to ask for more help. I have done so much searching, but most of it by means of letters as I am so far from big libraries, and from the districts where our families resided. I have borrowed microfilms from Ottawa and read them at our county town, Walkerton, 23 miles away. The county Librarian in Port Elgin, 17 miles north of me, orders them & I pick them up from her. Then I have to take them to Walkerton to the southeast of me. It involves much time and travelling, but it is such a pleasure for me while I am actually reading the films.

I was in Toronto Archives in January for a day but it was so frustrating. So little for my hours of reading. If I could have gone back 2-3 days more I know I could have learned more. I was searching for Barnabas Hough (Huff) U.E. & his family, and Alexander Nicholson U.E. & his family - and John Jacob Brower who lived on E 1/2 lot 25, conc. 3, Sidney Tp. which he bought in January 1822.

I have also been writing letters & letters to the States, and to individuals in Canada & the States, about all three. (C) Two persons I have written to are Miss Helen Frazer, and Neilson

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P.S. I wish I could have a visit with you. Did you know many things people were Bruce pioneers?
I find so many named in my research. Glass, French, Gurnell, Mills, Smith, Foster, etc.

Nicholson. Helen tells me he died in January. I asked him for certain information but somehow he sidetracked my questions.

He joined the Huguenot Society of Ontario at its organizational meeting in June 1966 on the strength of Dr. G. E. Reaman's advice. He said the name Hough is amongst the French Huguenot names that fled from France in 1600's. The genealogist-general of the American General Huguenot Society told me the same when I met him. I have attended several annual meetings of the Ontario Genealogical Society as representative of our Bruce County Historical Society, which is a member. The people we meet at these meetings are so willing to help.

Alexander Nicholson was the father-in-law of John Jacob Brower (lot 25, conc. 3, Sidney Tp.) and I began research on him. He was born in New York State, about 1792/3, but I cannot learn the name of his father. Of course I am gathering much detail of other people, and can go back in one branch of my family (Fraser-Nilson) to the Browsers, who came to America in 1642 from France, Bergen County.

From all that I have gathered and studied, I have come to the conclusion that J. J.'s father was either John or William. But I have no proof. Can you help me?

I wonder where J. J. Brower and Mary Nicholson were married. The date was Feb 6th 1822, and she lived in Thurlow Tp. then. I would like to learn what is on the certificate. It might tell the name of his father.

There are so many other questions I need to ask - and have been asking relatives & friends - but will confine myself to this one of the marriage certificate.

My husband & I had a happy visit last June in Hastings one weekend. It was our first visit since the time we stopped over on our wedding trip in 1938. We had a grand time visiting cousins, old family homes & even cemeteries. It is a very pleasant memory & we hope to do it again.

Sincerely,

Mrs. George Downey.

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When youthful Alexander Nicholson looked out from his home in Scotland toward the distant western horizon, indulging in adolescent dreams of the adventures that lay in that direction, he little realized what was in store for him. Little did he think, when he left his home in 1774 on his first leg of the long journey to the American colonies, that within a decade he would suffer imprisonment and slavery, experience seven long years of warfare and end up by being a pioneer in an unknown country.. And if he had foreseen the future, being a Scot, it is doubtful if he would have done other than to tread his predestined path.

Alexander had not been long in the Americas before he became aware of the rumblings of the civil strife to come. Even as he bought ^{of wild land} a two hundred acres ~~from~~ at Pownal, on the borders of Massachusetts and New York, he saw his neighbors quietly taking sides in preparation for the conflict. He sensed the bitterness and hatred that was being engendered by the firebrands on either side. Being British born, Alexander naturally allied himself with the forces of law and order, giving no offence and quietly awaited the leadership that would arise in its proper time. During the years 1775 and 1776 he obtained employment with one of the leading Loyalists of the district, Captain Samuel Anderson. On this account he fell under suspicion and on the complaint of a neighbor he was haled before the rebel committee in April, 1776, but there being insufficient evidence against him, he was released from custody.

and the approach of General Burgoyne's British army in its march
It was not until August, 1777, that Alexander joined the British standard.
toward Albany

His part in that disastrous campaign was short indeed. On his way northward to take his place in the army to crush rebellion he, with other recruits, fell in

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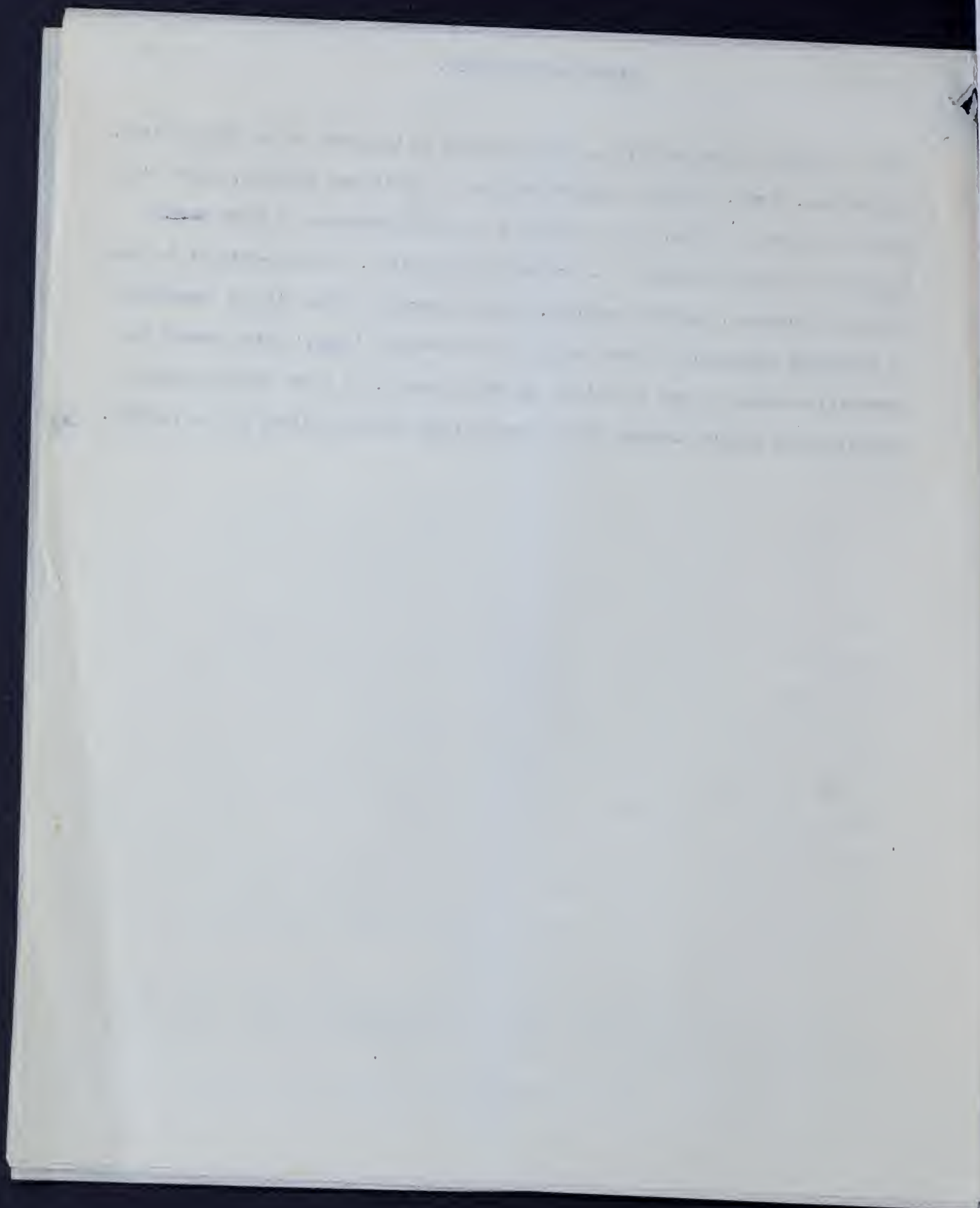
with a British detachment advancing to attack Bennington. He immediately took service in Col. John Peters' Queen's Rangers of Loyalists in the rank of ensign and was with this regiment when it was all but annihilated at the Battle of Bennington. Alexander was captured and with his fellow prisoners was paraded in his farm and stock was confiscated through the streets of Bennington. At his trial as an enemy to the state he was ~~seized~~ sold as a slave in order to pay the fine that was imposed on him. In the following year, after having completed his period of indenturedness, he escaped to Canada and served in Jessup's regiment of Loyal Rangers on outpost duty at Isle aux Noix until the end of the war.

Alexander Nicholson was not with his regiment when it ascended the St. Lawrence River in the spring of 1784 to form the first settlement in Ernesttown township. He remained behind in St. John's, Quebec, attracted by the beauty and capabilities of Sarah, daughter of Barnabas Hough, or Huff, likewise a soldier in the Loyal Rangers, who had taken a lease of lands on Caldwell's Manor, near St. John's. When the lease expired in the following year, 1785, Alexander and Sarah, in company with the Hough family, came to the Bay of Quinte where he received grants of land in both Ernesttown and Fredericksburgh townships. By 1788 Alexander and Sarah had settled down in the latter township, where they remained until about 1810, when they removed with their children to Sidney township. It was along the upper reaches of the Bay that they spent their declining years and where their children established their homes.

Descendants of this pioneer family may still be found along the Bay of Quinte *others have scattered here & there in United States & Canada.* Hough from Kingston to Trenton; his son, Barnabas, named for his grandfather, settled in Thurlow township. Another son, Samuel, was a member of the committee which *in 1816* gave

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chose the name Belleville for the young village at the mouth of the Moira River. A third son, David, became a pioneer settler in Huntingdon township, where his descendants still reside. Two daughters married Vandervoorts; a third married became the mother of Judge E. B. Fraleek of Belleville, long pre-eminent in legal circles in Ontario. Another grandson, Howard Nicholson, long will be remembered by the older generation as the captain of the steamer 'Hero,' which served the communities along the Bay of Quinte for many seasons. In later years Captain Nicholson was General Manager of the Grand Trunk steamship lines in the Pacific. -754



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July 21, 1980

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Dear Dr. Burleigh:

I received the papers from your Nicholson file last Tuesday and thank you very much.

It is unfortunate that so many of the written copies reproduced so faintly, making them very difficult to read. However, after spending the last few days going over the poorest of the photocopies with a magnifying glass and much patience I think I can now read everything except the following:

- 1) The top 2 inches of both pages of Mrs. Downey's letter of Jan. 21/65
- 2) The few lines of data at the top of the page containing Sons and Daughters U.E. list
- 3) The top half of the first page of the sketch write-up re Alexander Nicholson. (This page can also be identified by the fact that number 20 appears on the bottom right-hand corner).
- 4) The top half of the typed page of deaths and funeral notices, etc.

These four sections are completely unreadable due to the faintness of the photocopies.

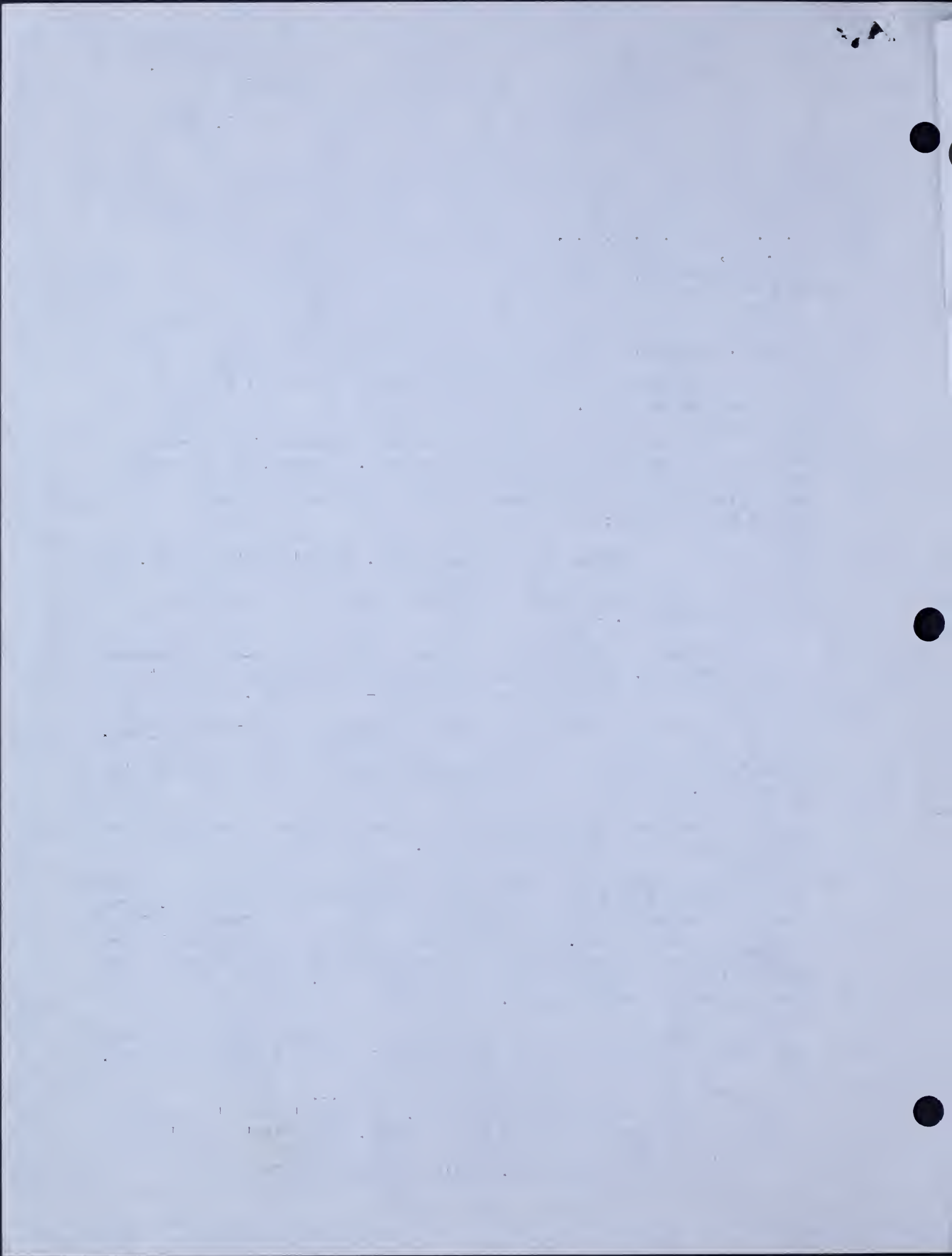
I would be grateful if you could spare the time to send me written copies of the 4 sections mentioned above.

In your letter of June 20/80 you mentioned you had a file on Alexander Nicholson plus many other files on Loyalists including Hough (Huff). In my return letter of June 26th/80 I requested the information from the files of both Nicholson and Hough. In your letter of July 1/80 you graciously agreed to our photocopying arrangement so it was my understanding you would send photocopies of the papers in your Hough family file. Did you forget? I would appreciate receiving them.

Who wrote the short page and a half sketch of the Nicholson family? The beginning of it is unfortunately unreadable (see # 3 above re copies).

What is the source of the information of ...

- 1) his entering the ranks of Col. John Peter's Queen's Rangers
- 2) his commission as an ensign in Col. John Peter's Queen's Rangers
- 3) his military discharge on Christmas eve 1783
- 4) his remaining in St. John's, Quebec until 1785

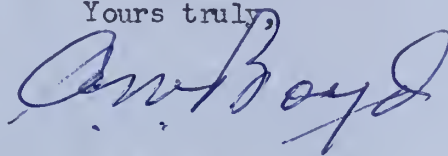


H. C. Burleigh, M.D., C.M.
July 21, 1980

I am sorry to have to trouble you for the information from the photocopies but the portions requested are absolutely impossible to read.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. W. Boyd".

A. W. Boyd

P.S. I am returning 1 sheet - what is this?

Enc.

Mary Nicholson and John Brown, her dau. lot 2
 Chelmsford, Mass. John Brown, 21st Jan. 1816, a male child, 1816,
 John Brown died at the corner of the house at 3 days. His
 son, William, died March 17th 1810 & left a wife.
 must have had some disease that killed them, together
 it was a family affair. Another a family affair at
 Chelmsford?

Central N.Y. Gen Soc 13203
 216 Hampton Road Syracuse NY

Ethelade Dunning,
 Toronto, Ont.,
 Jan 21/65
 Mrs George Downey

Dear Mr. Dunning,

I then you helped me find out about
 my husband's ancestors at the time he joined the
 Bay of Quinte U.C. to assist in the war to conquer
 the American on the Nicholas and George branches.
 However, I have done my little bit.

Could you help me by telling me something about
 the Duff family.

My little bit of data says:

Sarah Duff, daughter of Benjamin Duff, U.C.
 married Alexander Nicholson of Toronto.

She died Dec 12th 1851, at the residence of
 her son-in-law, Mr. Dunnington in Sydney St.
 65 years of age. This would mean she was born ca 1767-
 1770?

Do you have any other U.C. members to
 inform me about this Duff (or Duff) family?

I must mention Helen Gracie's title. She is a
 descendant of this same Alexander & Sarah Nicholson
 through the daughter Hannah — married through
 an daughter Mary (b 23rd April 1799) who married
 John Brooker on Dec 11th 1822 & resided in Sydney St.

Another question I need to have answered is
 about Alexander Nicholson. He wrote to the Kingston
 and received a reply from the local just at the
 Museum. He said there were "several" Nicholson
 families in Kownal where Alexander lived in 1774.

I am wondering if he came to America with
 his parents — and wondering if they came to Canada
 with him in 1783/4.

Can you suggest how to look for his parents in
 Ontario?

I have recently that Alex Nicholson came from Glasgow, Scotland —
 you wish to add to the family records. I hope to ask some of the people who were with him on the ship.

I will go today to the town Clerk's Office. I will
look to see if I can find the records of 1777
if I could learn the names of Alexander's parents, and
maybe brothers and sisters, I could ask for more
definite information.

The Battle of Brimington took place August 16th 1777
Can you tell me where you found the information
that Alex. Nicholson had been taken prisoner at this
battle and sold as a slave?

Can you tell me where to write to a family?
Nancy Nicholson's husband is a family from the
situation as to the One name tells me it is
from the family to which originally

I saw two old letters, usually from grand-daughters
of this couple. Margaret's husband John Brown. One says
Brown and one says Holland, & the other says Holland.

I read a book that says the Brown family originally
from Scotland, and moved to America because of religious persecution until they came to
America in the 1600's.

As some of the family are now living that the
Browns came from New York City up to the country
and by the time the Revolution the country
was settled, also. That Historical Society would
cover this district?

Do you know the Lloyd family of Kingston? It is a
member of the Kingston Historical Society, and is trying
to locate some family. It is very difficult. They
lived in Hastings and belonged to the Anglican Church.
The church does not seem to want to help. Do you
any English records, especially for Kingston?

There is the possibility that one of the Brown family
married into the family of the Brown family. Do you
know?

I am working on six family branches of the Brown family
and many of my friends. It is a very difficult job, of all of
the records and names. I am hoping to find a family
history computer, sponsored by the town of Kingston,
and I intend to try.

Do you need any research done in Brown County? Please
call me, if you do, and I will do my best to help.
I am, yours, Mrs. Lloyd Brown.

